Today's Weather.
Showers and Thunderstorms; Fresh Northeast by North Winds.

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THE WEATHER

Frequent showers and thunderstorms is the forecast for today, made by the weather experts in Washington. A foretaste of what may be expected was experienced last night at about 10 o'clock, when the rain fell in torrents and the lightning flashed vividly. The downpour was preceded by an hour of intensely sultry weather. The lowest temperature of the day was 68 degrees and the highest 82. The sun rose cloudy at 4:54 and set at 7:55. The following report for yesterday was furnished by the local weather bureau:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m....	30.08	70	87	S.W.	Cloudy.
8 p. m....	29.97	74	82	S.W.	Cloudy.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for July 6:

	1904	1903		1904	1903
Maximum ...	82	88	Mean	75	76
Minimum ...	68	68	Precipitation ...	.24	..
Nor. temp. 31 yrs.	75		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.15	
Exc. since July 1.	25		Exc. for day.....	.09	
Def. since Jan. 1	446		Def. since July 1.	.23	
			Exc. since Jan. 1.	2.86	

Washington Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 6.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Showers and thunder storms Thursday. Friday, fair; fresh northeast to north winds.

Ohio—Showers and thunderstorms; cooler in extreme south portion. Friday, fair; fresh northeast to east winds.

West Virginia—Showers and cooler Thursday. Friday, showers.

The following observations were taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Columbus ...	80	Cloudy	Cincinnati ...	82	Pt.Cldy
Chicago ...	68	Rain	Louisville ...	82	Clear
Omaha ...	68	Pt.Cldy	Nashville ...	78	Pt.Cldy
St. Paul ...	70	Cloudy	Kansas City ...	74	Pt.Cldy
St. Louis ...	76	Pt.Cldy	Indianapolis ...	80	Cloudy
Buffalo ...	70	Cloudy	Washington ...	84	Pt.Cldy
Cleveland ...	76	Pt.Cldy	Philadelphia ...	80	Cloudy
Denver ...	48	Rain	New York ...	76	Cloudy
Salt Lake ...	74	Cloudy	New Orleans ...	76	Cloudy

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived July 6.

Liverpool—Oceanic, from New York.
Queenstown—Auranla, from New York.
Cherbourg—Pennsylvania, from New York.

Sailed July 6.

New York—Temonic, for Liverpool; United States, for Copenhagen.
Liverpool—Majestic, for New York.
Southampton—Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, for New York.
Dover—Graf Waldersee, for New York.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

WABASH PARK, SOUTH SIDE—Building Trades Council's fair; Ferari Bros.' shows united, afternoon and evening.
KENNYWOOD PARK—Thompson, the high diver; free band concerts; steeplechase; house attractions; afternoon and evening.
SOUTHERN PARK—Oak Reed band, afternoon and evening.
EXPOSITION PARK—National league championship series, Pittsburgh vs. Chicago, 3:30 p. m.

ROOTERS RULE BY DISORDER

Democratic National Convention the Scene of Confusion.

CHEERS AND HISSES

Temporary Chairman's Speech Fell Flat Amid a Storm of Noise.

SHOUTED FOR CLEVELAND

By HENRY J. FORD.
(Staff Correspondent.)
[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

St. Louis, July 6.—The opening of the Democratic national convention was quite devoid of any special incident. Much less interest was shown than at Chicago over the arrival of distinguished delegates. This apparent indifference was probably more due to lack of opportunity than to lack of interest, as the crowd was evidently out for excitement.

The convention hall arrangements do not, however, provide an effective stage entrance. The auditorium is shaped like a huge oval chafing dish, the roof being the lid, the sides the spectators' seats, rising in steep tiers, and the flat bottom being the arena in which the seats of the delegates, the alternates and the press seats, together with some sections of seats for the friends of the delegates. Between the slope of the sides and the outer walls is a space from which numerous entrances pierce the auditorium. The arrangement makes ingress easy and convenient, but takes away all spectacular effect, as on entering one pops up, as it were, through the floor.

The first outburst was when the flag of Texas was borne in. A cheer went up as the Lone Star was seen. Senator Hill entered just as National Chairman Jones was about to call the convention to order. There was a loud cheer and cries of "Hill! Hill!" Bryan's entrance was barely noticed. There were scattering shouts of "Bryan," but no general applause. The probability is that few people observed his entrance as the seats of the Nebraska delegation are far back, while New York is at the front.

Hearst Boom Fell Flat.

A few minutes afterward there was an effort to start a Hearst demonstration. The California delegation marched in, waving their banner and shouting their battle cry:

Boom, boom, boom!
First, first, first!
California, California,
Hearst, Hearst, Hearst!

It fell entirely flat, for the Hearst yell has become a great bore in the Jefferson hotel lobbies and people are tired generally of the barker methods by which his boom has been continuously pressed upon public attention.

The California rooters had it all to themselves and as soon as they had done their turn, Chairman Jones rapped the convention to order. He was promptly on time, but the delegates were still streaming into their seats and the hall was only about two-thirds full. The hall is not well lighted from the windows and electric lights were used to illuminate the scene.

The decorations were tasteful but the general effect was rather commonplace. The roof was covered with yellow and the ribs were outlined by white hangings. The front of the galleries was draped with festoons of white stuff and at regular intervals were the coats-of-arms of the states, flanked by national flags. The platform was draped in red, white and blue and so were the walls of the galleries in front and back of the platform. There were no pictures among the decorations and the general result was not so striking as that at Chicago.

A conspicuous feature was the standards marking the delegations. They were

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WILL DODGE MONEY ISSUE

Forthcoming Democratic Platform to Straddle All Questions.

WORRY ABOUT BRYAN

Leaders Fear the Nebraskan Will Not Go Along With Procession.

HILL CONTROLS COMMITTEE

By L. W. STRAYER.
(Staff Correspondent.)
[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

St. Louis, July 6.—There is no longer any room for doubt as to the Democratic national platform. As has been previously stated in these dispatches, it will be practically a replica of the Mississippi state platform in its essential features. It will neither declare for a gold standard nor for free silver. It will dodge that issue almost completely, declaring merely the pleasure of the party that Providence has intervened and brought about the conditions that the Democratic party wanted to bring about by free coinage of silver. Indeed it may not go quite that far, but may stop with calling attention to the increased per capita circulation.

On the tariff and the trusts the declarations will be very mild compared with the statements of the Democratic orators in congress during the past session. It will promise a reduction of the tariff schedules that protect and foster trust and monopolies. It will promise also that monopolies that oppress the people will be shorn of their power. These are the most important planks and while the exact wording of them cannot be ascertained until the committee on resolutions has finished its labors, yet there is no longer any room for doubt as to their substance.

Worried About Bryan.

The question that is now worrying the leaders of Democracy, is what will Bryan do? They are looking for trouble from the Nebraska man but are hoping that he will go along with the procession and be good. But if he repudiates the platform and the nominee and declares that he cannot support either, the conservatives will not be surprised. They have their eyes on him, but no matter what course he follows they will make no change in the program. It will go through as scheduled.

A canvass of the committee on resolutions shows that the Parker people control it by a good majority. Bryan's following there is small. And this evening at 7 o'clock when the committee met at the Southern hotel to get down to business, the first matter was the appointment of the sub-committee to draft a platform and report to the full committee. Chairman Daniel announced the following names: David B. Hill, New York; John Sharp Williams, Mississippi; Robert E. Pattison, Pennsylvania; William J. Bryan, Nebraska; Charles S. Hamlin, Massachusetts; B. F. Cable, Illinois; John P. Poe, Maryland; Fred T. Dubois, Idaho; B. F. Shively, Indiana; ex-Senator Davis, West Virginia; and John W. Daniel, Virginia, as ex-officio chairman. This made a sub-committee of 11, while the original motion of ex-Gov. Pattison contemplated but 10 members. But the increase was made with the consent of the committee. Senator Francis G. Newlands of Nevada, called attention to the fact that the sub-committee contained no one to represent the great question of irrigation, and he was also added to it.

Hill Stacked the Cards.

A glance at this sub-committee shows that Hill has stacked the cards on Bryan in the first deal. Eight of them can be counted on to support the Hill-Parker

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Sort of Deserted.

M'LEAN MEN SHOW JOHNSON THAT HE IS NOT WANTED

Cleveland's Mayor Ignored and Derided by the Majority in the Ohio Delegation at the St. Louis Convention.

By WALTER J. CHRISTY.
(Staff Correspondent.)
[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. LOUIS, July 6.—Tom L. Johnson was shown today that the John R. McLean forces are in control in the Ohio delegation. The friends of the Cleveland mayor were denied tickets to the convention. Among the number that had to stand on the curb was Congressman Harvey Darber, of Darke county. The fact that he is chairman of the Democratic state committee did not help him any. There were about 300 Cleveland men who could not get by the doorkeepers.

In the convention Harlan Cleveland and Lewis Bernard of Cincinnati, had seats in the same row with Johnson. Just to rub it in, they quite frequently congratulated each other on the election of McMahon as member of the committee on resolutions. It was McMahon who defeated Johnson. The mayor said nothing, but he looked a number of things. One of the anti-Johnson men said:

"The next public appearance of Tom Johnson will be when he goes to the Union station to take a train to his home in New York."

Charles Salen of Cleveland, and Edward H. Moore of Youngstown, are trying to prevent an indorsement of Parker by the delegation. The test vote last night showed that the New York judge had 25 out of the 46 delegates. Salen and Moore now want a caucus and a vote. They think they can win over two or three of the Parker men and thus prevent a majority being on record for Parker. Cleveland and Bernard do not want a caucus and will probably succeed in preventing a meeting, as Chairman Thomas of the delegation is with them. The delegates adjourned to meet at the call of the chair and Thomas will not reconvene them unless it is the desire of Cleveland and Bernard.

The Parker managers would like to have things drift along just as they are. When the time comes to cast the vote of Ohio, if Parker needs the whole 46 votes, Chairman Thomas will cast them under the unit rule. In case Parker can get along without the 46, a poll of the delegation will be allowed. In that event Bernard is claiming 34 votes for Parker. He says that if there is a poll, it will afford an opportunity to put Salen and his friends in a hole if they oppose the nominee.

Some of Salen's friends are at a loss to know what he hopes to gain by the game he is playing. Salen and Johnson have much influence with the Ohio state organization as it is now constituted. Since McLean has been re-elected national committeeman, his friends are planning to ignore the state organization. They say that McLean will not turn any money over to the Johnson-Salen combination for use in the fall campaign.

PARKER GAINING AT EVERY TURN

New York Judge's Managers Are Gathering in the Wavering Delegations.

WILL GET JERSEY DELEGATES

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

St. Louis, July 6.—The steady growth of the Parker strength has continued unchecked throughout today and tonight. In the face of the developments in the convention session the nebulous opposition grew more uncertain, and tonight no one can be found to stand for any definite statement that the New Yorker will meet with opposition of a serious character when the convention is polled for first place on the ticket.

Delegations that have wavered in the balance have succumbed to the Parker tide with few exceptions, and these are not expected to withstand the almost assured results of the vote as it proceeds, but will change to the Parker column before the roll call is finished. It was reported late tonight that a final anti-Parker conference had been called for an unknown place of meeting, but the New Yorker's managers, confident that they have the whole situation thoroughly in hand, were not disturbed by this conference or its possible results.

Former United States Senator Smith of New Jersey, who is practically the head of the delegation saw William F. Sheehan tonight and assured him that New Jersey would join the Parker column on the first ballot. Mr. Smith is quoted as saying that he had received a telegram from Mr. Cleveland declining positively to have his name presented, and that Parker was therefore their second choice. No positive confirmation, however, was to be had of the receipt of such a message.

Charles F. Murphy of New York, surrounded by Charles A. Towne, Bourke Cockran and others tonight made this statement:

"It has been alleged that I concede the nomination of Judge Parker. I do not. I stand just where I stood for the past few days. I have not changed my opinions or my attitude."

DIDN'T OBSERVE FOURTH.

American Legation at Colombian Capital Ordered Not to Celebrate Event.

PANAMA, July 6.—(Copyright Cable, New York Herald.)—The Herald correspondent in Bogota cables under date of July 4: "Gen. Rafael Reyes has been officially proclaimed president of Colombia and Ramon Gonzales Valencia vice president. The general opinion is that Gen. Reyes' election guarantees peace, order and the future prosperity of Colombia, owing to his personal and political prestige at home and abroad. The interior of Colombia is peaceful.

"The Fourth of July was not observed by the American legation, by official order from Washington."

ANTI-PARKER MEN PUTTING UP A FIGHT

ST. LOUIS, July 6.—Some conferences were held by the anti-Parker men, after which they still claimed they had enough votes to defeat Parker, if they could rely on pledges made to them. Various suggestions were made as to uniting on a candidate and both Gray and Olney have been suggested as men on which to rally the party opposition.

TWENTY ROOSEVELTS GO ON PICNIC JAUNT

President Leads Fleet of Rowboats to Woods Near Cold Springs Harbor.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., July 6.—President Roosevelt passed the greater part of the day in the woods with his boys and their cousins. Early this morning Mr. Roosevelt, as the commodore of a small fleet of rowboats, pushed out from the pier near his house and rowed to picnic woods near Cold Springs Harbor. It was really a Roosevelt family reunion and about 20 Roosevelts, old and young, were there.

The report that Gov. Odell will visit the president this week is generally believed here, although Secretary Loeb said tonight that he knew of no appointment for Mr. Odell.

Walter Russell, a portrait artist of New York was a visitor at Sagamore Hill today. Mr. Russell will make portraits of Archie Roosevelt and Miss Ethel. His painting of Quentin now hangs in the White House.

CONVENTION HELD UP BY THE COMMITTEES

ST. LOUIS, July 6.—On account of the difficulties which have arisen in connection with the various matters of a preliminary character, it has been decided to have only a very brief session of the convention tomorrow. The convention will meet at 10 o'clock, but it is probable that none of the important committees will be able to report at that time. In view of Senator Bailey's declaration of the permanent chairmanship, it is probable that the temporary organization may be continued for a day.

DEMOCRACY WILL STICK TO THE TWO-THIRDS RULE

ST. LOUIS, July 6.—The rules committee of the Democratic national convention, by a vote of 26 to 6, decided not to abrogate the two-thirds vote for candidates in the convention, and rejected a proposition for a majority. Dr. Mary Walker asked the committee to recommend the admission of women delegates. Col. Grady said that question was not within the purview of the committee.

CLOUDBURST NEAR TARENTUM DAMAGES CROPS OF FARMERS

A cloudburst over the hills back of Tarentum about 6:30 o'clock last evening flooded the small creeks in the vicinity, ruining many farmers' crops. Bull creek was full to the banks and in some places overflowed. The West Penn railroad bridge had one of the abutments partially washed away. Trains could not pass over the eastbound tracks and for a half-hour traffic was stopped. Trains are now running on the westbound track.

WILL CARRY CONTEST INTO THE CONVENTION

ST. LOUIS, July 6.—The committee on credentials tonight decided in favor of seating the Hopkins delegates in the Illinois contest. The Hearst delegates declared they would carry the Illinois contest upon the floor of the convention, and fight to the last.

Durham Goes to Lake Placid.

PHILADELPHIA, July 6.—(Special.)—Israel W. Durham left this afternoon for a mid-summer sojourn at Lake Placid, in the Adirondacks. He was accompanied by John Wesley Durham, his brother, and his secretary, J. Clayton Erb. Mr. Durham was in conference with Senator Penrose, James P. McNichol and other political leaders during the morning.

Rockefeller Gives $100,000.

NEWARK, O., July 6.—John D. Rockefeller has given Denison university $100,000. This sum is additional to the $250,000 received some time ago.

EDGAR L. EVANS KILLS MRS. KERR

She Was Wife of Pittsburgh Fireman and Eloped to St. Louis Some Time Ago.

SLAYER CUTS HIS THROAT

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. LOUIS, MO., July 6.—After cutting the throat of Mrs. Antoinette Kerr, with whom he had been living for some months past, Edgar L. Evans, 23 years old, of 2708 Lucas avenue, slashed his wrists with the same razor, and then, as death seemed to be coming too slowly, cut his own throat.

The tragedy was enacted in front of 2718 Locust street early this morning. Jealousy is ascribed by Evans as the cause for his act. The woman died almost immediately. Evans is at the City hospital.

Evans and the dead woman came to St. Louis recently from Pittsburgh and resided at 2708 Lucas avenue. He is an electrician and it is said eloped from Pittsburgh with the dead woman, who, it is alleged, was the wife of Fireman Thomas H. Kerr, lieutenant of Truck F, at Thirty-fourth street and Penn avenue, Pittsburgh. Evans said today:

"A month ago I went to San Francisco on business. When I returned, Sunday, I learned that she had been running around with other men, and my step-mother told me that she had acknowledged having other husbands.

"About 8 o'clock last night I saw her pass in front of my home with another man. I was sitting on the front gallery, and I went in and got my hat and followed her up the street.

"She was in company with one Davenport, a fellow-electrician and lodge man of mine. I asked her to come with me, and she said she would tomorrow night. I couldn't persuade her to tell me where she was stopping, but gave me an address in Washington avenue, which I have since learned is false.

"At 11 o'clock Davenport, angry because of my persistency to get my wife away, left us at Twenty-eighth and Olive streets. My brother George had been there.

"I pleaded with my wife to stand by her vows and return home with me until 1 o'clock in the morning, when I committed the crime for which I have no regrets except for its ill-success."

After returning from breakfast yesterday about 7:15 o'clock Fireman Kerr was notified of his wife's death by telephone. About an hour later a message was received by his sister, Nellie Kerr, at the family home. It was signed by Richard Lions, Mrs. Kerr's brother, and it stated that Mrs. Kerr was dead and asked her husband to go on to St. Louis at once.

Kerr, about an hour after the message arrived, was on his way west. The Kerr family did not learn till later in the day that Mrs. Kerr had been murdered.

At the Kerr home it was stated last night that Kerr and his wife had been keeping house at Liberty avenue and Thirty-third street. Mrs. Kerr went to her home in Louisville, Ky., for the Christmas holidays and Kerr moved to his mother's home, 3414 Penn avenue. He visited his wife in Louisville and when she returned to Pittsburgh she went to live with her husband's family. Miss Kerr stated that her sister-in-law was not on very good terms with her husband's family because they did not approve of her going about.

Mrs. Kerr, who before her marriage on

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GARMAN THREAT IS MADE GOOD

A Pennsylvania Delegate Hissed the Name of Cleveland.

GUFFEY IS HONORED

The Colonel Selected to Escort Temporary Chairman to the Platform.

INDEPENDENTS NOT NOTICED

By WALTER J. CHRISTY.
(Staff Correspondent.)
[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

St. Louis, July 6.—Col. J. M. Guffey is busy tonight conferring with the other national leaders concerning an available candidate for vice president. The Parker managers are keeping in close touch with the Pennsylvania leader.

In the convention the state got some prominence that it is not proud to acknowledge. When Chairman Williams mentioned the name of Cleveland in his speech, ex-State Chairman John M. Garman of Luzerne county, made good his threat that he would hiss if the name of the ex-president was uttered on the floor of the convention. Cleveland has many warm friends in the delegation, who are angry with Garman. Of course, Col. Guffey did not cheer the name of Cleveland, but a number of his followers did. The colonel was being kept busy protecting his head. During the scrimmage the Pennsylvania standard was shaken loose and the colonel had to do some dodging to keep out of the way of the marker.

Pennsylvania was given an opportunity to cheer when National Chairman Jones announced that Col. Guffey and Mr. Tarpey of California would escort Congressman John Sharpe Williams to the stage to assume his duties as temporary chairman. The delegates all cheered when Guffey walked onto the stage. There were a number of Pennsylvanians who were not in the hall to cheer.

It was understood that N. A. Bendel of Pittsburgh and Dick Bryant of Philadelphia were to have had charge of a door. By some manipulation they were cheated out of their rights when the doors of the hall were opened. Later Bendel made a deal with an Iowa doorkeeper which allowed a number of Pennsylvanians to get in. Tonight Col. Guffey had matters arranged so that Bendel and Bryant will come into their rights.

Pennsylvania fared well in the allotment of seats, as the delegation is located directly in front of the stage. Opposite is the Michigan delegation. Some of the western men were late in coming to the convention today and the Pennsylvanians took a squatter's claim. Guffey and ex-Gov. Pattison were cordially greeted when they entered the hall. The delegation met at Twelfth and Market streets this morning and marched to the Coliseum, a square away. Tomorrow it will parade from the headquarters at the Southern escorted by a band.

When the list of members of the committee on resolutions was read, there was not much enthusiasm shown for Bryan. Four years ago the Kansas City convention went wild at the mention of his name. Today there was but a ripple of applause. There was much more enthusiasm shown for ex-Gov. Pattison of Pennsylvania, but the big ovation was given Hill of New York.

George W. Guthrie of Pittsburgh and Francis Fisher Kane and John Cadwallader of Philadelphia are hopeful that Pattison will be able to get the platform builders to use the portions of the Pennsylvania platform that deal with national issues.

The committee on credentials will not pay any attention to the contest raised by the Independence party of Philadelphia. J. Burwood Daly is the only contestant on the ground. In some way he succeeded in getting a seat on the stage today, much to the disgust of the regular Democrats.

Delegate Amiz of Lewistown was sent to his home tonight. Since coming here he developed a case of blood poisoning and is quite ill.

CLEVELAND DECLINES TO SEEM INTERESTED

Spends Day With Joe Jefferson and Pays No Attention to Convention.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BUZZARD'S BAY, MASS., July 6.—Several miles from telegraph offices and apparently uninterested in the doings of the Democratic convention at St. Louis, former President Grover Cleveland passed today with Joe Jefferson, at the latter's home, Crows Nest, on the shores of Buttermilk bay.

"We spent the day telling each other stories and having a fish and hunting talk," said Mr. Jefferson late this afternoon, and that was all he would say.

Mr. Cleveland could not be induced to talk with any newspaper man and at 9 o'clock tonight he, Mr. Jefferson and Dr. Bryant, who came here as Mr. Cleveland's guests, had retired.

The Western Union Telegraph Company looked for a flood of messages today for Mr. Cleveland, but they did not come. Two or three arrived in the afternoon and were taken to Crows Nest by messengers. One of them, it was learned tonight, told Mr. Cleveland of the demonstration at the convention when his name was mentioned. Dressed in a gray flannel suit, a wide-brimmed hat and smoking a cigar, Mr. Cleveland sat alone on the Crows Nest piazza late this afternoon reading. When some newspaper men approached he hurried into the house.

Secretary Morton Goes West.

WASHINGTON, July 6.—Secretary Morton left here today for New York, on his way to Chicago to arrange his private affairs, returning here the first of August. He will be the guest of honor at a dinner by the Merchants' club of Chicago on July 14.

DOCKERY FOR SECOND PLACE

Guffey Picks the Missouri Governor for Parker's Running Mate.

TURNER WOULDN'T DO

Candidate from the Far West Too Recently Associated With the Populists.

NO QUARTER FOR BRYANISM

By CHESTER D. POTTER.
(Staff Correspondent.)
[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

St. Louis, July 6.—Col. James M. Guffey, national committeeman from Pennsylvania, tonight issued the following statement:

"I do not think we should look to the Pacific slope for our candidate for vice president. Notwithstanding the great ability and high character of ex-Senator George E. Turner, I do not think he is geographically well located.

"The fact is, the middle west should have the vice president. We want a man of experience, executive ability, and one who is familiar with the workings of the federal government. We want a man who is known to be able, safe, honest, strong and vigorous, and who has the confidence of the Democratic party and all the business interests of the country.

"Gov. Alexander M. Dockery of Missouri meets all these requirements, and I think the convention will immediately recognize his exceptional availability when his name is presented."

In the above Col. Guffey has for the second time shown the influence exerted by himself and Pennsylvania in making the convention program. Parker's nomination only became a certainty when Pennsylvania threw her 68 votes to the New Yorker, and tonight Col. Guffey ends the Turner and other booms by saying that Gov. Dockery is the most available man for second place.

Turner Doesn't Suit Hill.

"While this is a matter for the convention to decide, I do not believe that anyone will be in a position to give an authoritative statement relative to the vice presidential nomination until after Judge Parker has been nominated. Understand me, I am only voicing my personal opinion in this matter and the published statements to the effect that ex-Senator Turner of Washington has been agreed upon are misleading. I have heard considerable objection both today and yesterday to Mr. Turner's selection."

Ex-Senator David B. Hill made the above statement to The Gazette tonight. If there is any man here who is qualified to pass upon vice presidential candidates, it is Mr. Hill. There are other Parker leaders and other Parker managers, but Mr. Hill is the man who makes the last guess on all important matters. There was some talk this morning to the effect that ex-Gov. David R. Francis, president of the Louisiana Purchase exposition, might be agreed upon. The matter of Mr. Francis' availability was considered by the Parker managers and the conclusion reached that he would not do. Mr. Francis' fitness for the honor was conceded by all, the vital objection being that it would be necessary for him to sever his connection with the fair if he would accept, and this Mr. Francis said he could not honorably do.

Making Claims for Turner.

Under the pretense that ex-Senator Turner is one of the original Parker advocates, his friends have been claiming for several days that he would have a walkaway for second place. No objections, they claim, would be made to his selection by the Bryanites for geographical and other reasons. The other reasons were that until he became infatuated with Judge Parker's personality, he was a devoted worshiper at the Bryan shrine. It is this latter reason which has caused ex-Senator Hill and August Belmont to pass the word today that Turner has not been agreed upon and that his friends have gone beyond the line of safety in predicting his nomination.

At the Parker headquarters, in the Planters hotel, Mr. Belmont's personal representative tonight advised the writer that it was quite unsafe to accept the Bryan rumors relative to Mr. Turner's chances. He said that several other men were under consideration, any one of whom, in his opinion, have better chances of winning than had Turner. He pointed out that Turner had only claimed to be a Democrat for about eight years, and that during that interval he had become strongly tainted with Populism. His Democracy, it was stated, is not of the conservative caliber, but of Bryan coloring.

Either Kern or Harmon.

Mr. Belmont's representative drew attention to the fact that John W. Kern of Indiana was a candidate for second place, and that while he had supported Mr. Bryan in 1900, he had done so because the convention had selected him, and not because he personally favored Mr. Bryan's theories.

It was further urged that Judge Judson Harmon of Ohio, whose name has been associated with the presidential nomination, might also be willing to accept a second place on the ticket. Either Kern or Harmon, it was announced, would be satisfactory to Judge Parker. Wall of Wisconsin was also in this category until he removed himself this morning from further consideration. Mr. Wall's representative made the definite announcement that he would accept nothing but first place, and that his name should not be considered for vice president.

When the Bryan people, who have been working industriously for Turner, learned that he is being opposed by Hill and Belmont, there was more trouble. Senator Dubois of Idaho tonight stated that neither Hill nor Belmont could afford to oppose Turner. The senator's declaration was pointed, emphatic and conclusive. He said:

"There is no logical reason why Judge Parker should oppose Turner. Without reservation, I make the statement that

Mr. Turner has done more to bring about Parker's nomination than any man now in St. Louis. For 10 months he has spent his entire time in Parker's interests. Had it not been for him, the anti-Parker forces would have succeeded in their effort to have tied up the western states in the anti-Parker movement. The west and northwest, Texas and Louisiana, and most of the southern states are not only favorable to Mr. Turner's nomination, but they will demand that he be given second place on the ticket."

Hard to Reconcile Statements.

Here Senator Dubois made a statement which is hard to reconcile with his previous one, relative to Turner's effective work in behalf of the New Yorker. He said that the Parker people were not a majority in the committee on resolutions; that Mr. Bryan would be absolutely in control of that committee. This statement he supplemented by saying that unless the Parker people accepted Turner their candidate would be forced to stand upon a platform of Bryan manufacture.

These two propositions may not be contradictory, but it is difficult to understand how Mr. Turner can be such an enthusiastic follower of Judge Parker, and at the same time be assured that Mr. Bryan, the leader of the anti-Parker forces, will use his influence in the committee on resolutions to force Parker to accept Turner.

There are still quite a number of leaders, not campaign managers, who insist that the strongest vice presidential nomination which could be made would be Circuit Attorney Joseph W. Folk. It may be that Folk is the dark horse whom the leaders expect to spring at the opportune moment. This suspicion is given strength by the fact that while he was being very generally discussed last week, since the arrival of Hill and Belmont there has been no mention of his name.

The only man who is openly advocating Folk's nomination is Capt. Richmond P. Hobson, who is visiting in St. Louis. Hobson says that Roosevelt is certain to carry Indiana as well as Wisconsin and that the Democrats would gain no strength by taking a man from either state.

Would Recognize Populism.

Charles F. Donnelly, Democratic city chairman of Philadelphia, is doing all he can to prevent the nomination of Turner. Mr. Donnelly this evening spent half an hour with Col. Guffey explaining to the Pennsylvania leader why Turner's nomination would be a mistake. Donnelly said that Mr. Guffey gave him no intimation as to what course he would pursue.

"This is the time that the party must look ahead," said Mr. Donnelly. "Turner's nomination would be a distinct recognition of Populism and no one ever in their wildest dreams ever conceived the possibility of there being a Populist president of the United States. Should Judge Parker be elected, and anything happen to him, as was the case with President McKinley, Turner's succession would result in such a state of affairs."

Since it has become more or less definitely believed that Col. Guffey will not accept the national chairmanship, there is considerable talk of Chairman Donnelly for the honor. That he possesses exceptional qualifications is admitted by everyone who knows him, and there is little reason to believe that he would not receive the cordial support of Mr. Guffey.

PARKER WILL PROBABLY GET WEST VIRGINIA

However, the Cleveland Enthusiasm Started in Mountain State Delegation.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. LOUIS, July 6.—Jarius Collins of Bramwed, W. Va., claims the credit for having started the Cleveland enthusiasm in the convention today. He says that he will no doubt vote for Cleveland and believes that he is the only man in the delegation who favors the ex-president. When Cleveland's name was mentioned by Chairman Williams, Collins says that he jumped to his feet and started to yell. He quickly constructed a megaphone of a newspaper and cried lustily, "Grover, Grover, four more years for Grover." In case of the re-election of Cleveland watch for Postmaster Jarius Collins of Bramwed, W. Va.

West Virginia was located just in front of the Nebraska delegation and William J. Bryan shook hands with the delegates. He secured the warmest greeting from Hays and Wilson, the Hearst delegates. There is to be a caucus of the delegation tomorrow morning to consider presidential favorites. Collins says that he believes that Gorman still wants the state to vote for him. It is more likely to declare for Parker. The leaders all know the value of being on the band wagon.

A boom has been started for ex-Senator H. G. Davis for the Democratic nomination for governor. The convention will be held at Parkersburg on August 3, and most of the West Virginians here think that Davis will be the nominee. There is also talk of John T. McGraw for United States senator in case the Democracy can capture the West Virginia legislature this fall.

WALTER J. CHRISTY.

EVANS KILLS MRS. KERR

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June 8, 1898, was Antoinette Lions, came to Pittsburgh from Louisville and was married here. She made frequent trips to Louisville and during the latter part of last April she went to St. Louis. What Mrs. Kerr was doing in St. Louis other than seeing the world's fair she said they did not know. Mrs. Kerr was 27 years old and had two brothers and two sisters, one of the former, Richard Lions, was employed for some time at the works of H. K. Porter in this city and while here boarded at his sister's home.

Victim of Husband Dies.

SAULT STE. MARIE, MICH., July 6.—Mrs. Isaac Eagle died in a hospital here today from the effects of a bullet wound in the head inflicted by her husband last week.

PITTSBURGH EXPORTS 42,000 TONS OF STEEL

Every Section of the World Receives Supplies from Iron City During June.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, July 6.—Upwards of 42,000 tons of Pittsburgh steel billets, steel rails, steel bars, steel hoops and pig iron were shipped to various foreign countries last month through New York and other eastern seaboard points. In May the exports were a shade over 36,000 tons. During June 17,929 tons of billets were sent abroad.

To various parts of the world were sent 21,291 tons of steel rails in June, the principal shipments going to South America and the orient. In May the rail exports were but 7,345 tons, so that the monthly increase is nearly 300 per cent. To the Argentine republic 5,068 tons in four lots were shipped last month. To Beyrout, Syria, one shipment of 4,490 tons was made. China and Japan were forwarded 3,157 tons in four lots. Australia got 1,727 tons in three shipments. To St. John, New Brunswick, one lot of 4,700 tons went forward.

The steel bar exports during June amounted to 1,427 tons, 1,128 tons of which went to Japan, while the balance went to British ports. Eight hundred and forty-nine tons of structural steel were also sent abroad last month. A small parcel of hoop steel went to Australia.

GOOD PIANO FOR $100

At Henricks Piano Co., Ltd.

We have just received a fine piano after being in use about a year, and will close it out for above figure. Elegant mahogany case, ivory keys, rich tone and standard action. Will give time on half if desired. Cut this out and call at 611-613 Smithfield street, near Sixth avenue. Open Saturday evenings.

BATTLE RAGES FOR TWO DAYS

Russians and Japanese Engaged in Bloody Struggle Near Liao-Yang.

TO CUT OFF MUKDEN

That Is Object of General Kuroki, According to Statement of Correspondent.

OYAMA LEAVES FOR FRONT

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]
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London, July 7.—The Daily Telegraph's correspondent with the Russian army at Liao Yang, telegraphs under date of July 7:

"A battle is proceeding 25 miles from here.

"A number of wounded are being brought in from the mountains.

"Evidently the engagement is a severe one and the fighting has been going on for two days.

"I believe the Japanese are continuing their advance with the object of cutting off Mukden."

In commenting on this dispatch the Daily Telegraph says that if the intelligence from Liao Yang can be accepted as true, the most important movement of the war has been reached.

One fact the Daily Telegraph declares is certain, and that is that for two days there has been heavy fighting within 25 miles of Liao Yang.

The view of the correspondent that the Japanese object is to cut off Mukden, the Daily Telegraph considers, would not have been introduced in such a compressed dispatch unless the fact was immediately connected with the fighting described.

Japanese Near Liao-Ti-Shan.

LIAO YANG, July 6.—8:36 p. m.—Reports have been received here of the appearance of Japanese outposts on the roads leading to Mukden. A company of Japanese infantry scouts was seen near Liao-Ti-Shan.

On the other hand the Japanese have withdrawn from the passes taken June 26 and 27 and their advance from Lan Shan Kwan has ceased.

The Russian eastern corps has moved forward to Khawan (Ho-Syan?) and Hozamen, which the Russians had evacuated and re-occupied.

The tactics of the Japanese are difficult to understand. They seem to be trying to enter by all doors. Probably the armies commanded by Gen. Kuroki and Gen. Oku are combining to operate against Ta-Tche-Kiao and Hai-Cheng, in order to gain possession of the railroad and enable them to advance on Liao Yang.

TOKYO, July 6.—Field Marshal Oyama, commander-in-chief of the Japanese field forces, accompanied by Gen. Kodama and Gen. Fukushima and a numerous staff, departed for the front today. There was a remarkable farewell demonstration. Early this morning crowds assembled at the headquarters of the general staff and along the streets leading to the Shibashi station. Many houses were decorated and flags and banners fluttered over the streets.

The three generals left the headquarters at 10 o'clock. They were cheered all along the route to the station, where they held a reception. Members of the cabinet, elder statesmen, representatives of the court, hundreds of the military and naval officers, many civil officers and some foreign attaches had assembled here to bid them farewell. Sir Claude MacDonald, the British minister, accompanied by Lady MacDonald, entered Gen. Oyama's private car. American Minister Griscom was not present, the United States being officially represented by Col. Wood and Secretaries Miller and Laughlin. Troops lined the platform at the station and when the train started there was tremendous cheering, while the band played "Auld Lang Syne."

A short stop will be made at Yokohama before the distinguished officers embark at Shimonoseki for the seat of war.

Supplemental dispatches indicate that the fight at Mo-Tien pass on July 4 was a desperate hand-to-hand affair. A majority of the Japanese injured were wounded by bayonets. The Russians surrounded the outposts of the Japanese, who fought until relief came.

The Russians left 53 dead and 40 wounded on the field. The Japanese lost 19 killed and 38 wounded. It is believed that the Russians sustained greater losses during the pursuit than in action.

Brief But Fierce Struggle.

GEN. KUROKI'S HEADQUARTERS IN THE FIELD, Via Fusan, July 6.—On July 4 two battalions of Russians attempted to break through the Japanese outposts at the northern entrance of Mo-Tien pass. Before daylight they surrounded an outpost of 50 men at the foot of a hill and charged the trench above. A bloody encounter with bayonets lasting a quarter of an hour ensued. The Russians attacked the trench three times, but were driven up the valley by a Japanese reinforcement, leaving many dead and wounded. An observer saw 50 lying in front of the trench.

TIENTSIN, July 6.—On last Saturday, it is reported, 50 Japanese spies were captured at a place the name of which is not given. Trains are reported to be running both in and out of Port Arthur for a distance of 16 miles.

The Russian torpedo destroyer, Lieutenant Burukoff, which successfully ran the blockade at Port Arthur and reached Niuchwang, June 29, with advices for St. Petersburg from the beleaguered fortress, has returned safely to Port Arthur.

It is reported that many Cossacks, while marching through the Tang Chi gorge, were drowned by floods.

CHEFOO, July 6.—(6 p. m.)—A party of refugees arriving today from Port Arthur, say that Rear Admiral Prince Ouktomsky of the battleship Peresviet has succeeded Rear Admiral Withoft as commander of the Russian naval forces at that place.

Great Valor of Japanese.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 6.—Admiral Togo has attempted to repeat the Japanese exploit with torpedo boats at Wei-Hai-Wei, during the China-Japanese war, by sending torpedo boat destroyers into the harbor of Port Arthur for the purpose of sinking ships at their anchorage. The attempt ended in disastrous failure.

Four torpedo boat destroyers succeeded in creeping into the harbor, which was not protected by booms, but only one escaped. Two were sunk by the shore batteries and one was crippled.

The reckless bravery of the Japanese in going to almost certain destruction excites nothing but admiration here. The channel at Port Arthur is so tortuous and strewn with wrecks that it was regarded as unnecessary to use a boom. On account of the difficulty of getting into the harbor the feat is considered in naval circles to be fully as daring as that of the Japanese at Wei-Hai-Wei, where Japanese torpedo boats in a storm and covered with ice were jumped over the booms protecting that harbor and destroyed Chinese warships. So far as known, the torpedo boat destroyers did not even succeed in launching torpedoes.

All the remaining naval reservists in the governments of European Russia, with the exception of Orenburg and Finland, have been called out by an imperial ukase.

HEADACHES FROM COLDS.

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE removes the cause. To get the genuine call for the full name and look for the signature of E. W. Grove. 25c.

WILL DODGE MONEY ISSUE IN PLATFORM

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people on every proposition, while Bryan has but four members, counting himself. Still Mr. Hill was very considerate. He could have left even Bryan off the subcommittee if he had cared to.

It had been intended to hold the meeting of the committee in the New York headquarters at the Southern and when some of the members called there they could not but notice that it was a little rough on Bryan to ask him to sit in that room and deliberate, when nearly one entire side of the room was covered by a huge portrait of Parker. All about the room were scattered smaller pictures of the New York judge and it would have been impossible for the apostle of free silver to have cast his eyes in any direction without them alighting upon Parker, either as a judge, or a farmer, or a plain citizen.

So it seemed but humane when the committee moved around the corridor to the Pennsylvania headquarters. Then came the first real excitement of the meeting. Chairman Daniel announced the members of the sub-committee and all was in readiness to proceed, when David B. Hill cast his eagle eye over the assemblage and noted that ex-Gov. Pattison of Pennsylvania was not present. Mr. Hill was not pleased. To be sure, the absence of one of his allies did not in any way endanger the program, but Pennsylvania is a big state and in an important matter like the building of a national platform it should be represented.

Hunt Started for Pattison.

Hill summoned Brennen, the sergeant-at-arms on the door, and asked where Pattison was. Brennen did not know. Hill said he must be found and brought in right away. A general alarm was sent out and every Democrat from Pennsylvania was provided with a search warrant for Pattison. J. K. P. Hall was highly indignant when told of the ex-governor's absence and it required the arguments of three men for as many minutes to convince him that Hill was not mistaken and that Pattison was not really inside.

George W. Guthrie, W. J. Brennen (not the sergeant-at-arms), Charles Donnelly of Philadelphia and a dozen others were sent scurrying about the hotel looking for the missing man. Pattison was traced down to the curb where he was seen dickering with a cabman for a carriage ride. That was the end of the clue. Finally, at 8:20, he arrived on the scene and walked into the conference. The Pennsylvania delegation breathed easier and Mr. Hill smiled his welcome.

The full committee proceeded with hearings for those who had planks that they wished to get into the platform. Several planks were sent in by members of the Pennsylvania delegation but they were all entrusted to Mr. Pattison.

Mr. Poe of Maryland submitted a draft of several planks which he stated represented the ideas of Senator Gorman on the questions mentioned. After proclaiming anew "Our steadfast adherence to the cardinal principles so earnestly inculcated by Thomas Jefferson as to the powers and limitations of our government," the question of imperialism is taken up and the promise of independence to the Filipinos is made. On the isthmian canal the document congratulates the country upon getting the canal route, but expresses "detestation" of the methods used. It declares for a reduction of expenditures and insists upon strict economy and frugality in the administration.

Denounces Race Issue.

It deplores and denounces the raising of the race issue by the Republicans. The money plank is identical with that adopted by the Mississippi state convention. On the tariff and the trusts it promises to revise the tariff "in a conservative spirit of fairness to all interests" and says that "odious and powerful monopolies may expect a reduction of the excessive rates." It also declares that "illegal combinations or trusts must be stripped of their power." Another plank complains about executive dictation and protests against the president interfering with the functions of other branches of the government.

Prof. Ira W. Howerth of the University of Chicago representing the anti-Imperialist league, was heard in favor of a plank promising speedy independence for the Philippines. A committee of the National Cattleman's association asked for a plank favoring legislation in the interest of the cattle raisers. A delegation was heard for women's suffrage and several delegations were accorded hearings. It was 10 o'clock before the general committee had concluded its work and the sub-committee went into session to formulate the draft of the platform. The prospects were for a lively and a lengthy session.

Soon after the convention adjourned the committee on resolutions met in the Coliseum building and organized by the election of Senator John W. Daniel of Virginia, as chairman. There was a majority of the committee present but they did not care to proceed with work of building of the platform owing to the inadequate accommodations afforded by the room in which they met. It was hot and small and it was evident to all of the committeemen that if an attempt was made to reach an amicable agreement under such unpleasant auspices it would likely result in a rough house.

Bryan Scented Trouble.

Ex-Senator Hill of New York moved that when the committee adjourned that session it did so to meet at the Southern hotel at 7 o'clock where more comfortable rooms could be had. William J. Bryan was evidently looking for trouble and he scented it here. To him this looked like a possible attempt to choke off propositions of planks that he and his friends might care to make and he rose to remark that before the committee adjourned it might be proper to hear any planks that members might have prepared.

It was explained to Mr. Bryan that it was not the intention to adjourn immediately, but that Mr. Hill's motion was to the effect that when an adjournment be taken, it be to meet at the Southern. With this explanation the Nebraska man was satisfied and sat down.

John Sharp Williams of Mississippi, remarked that he had several planks that he wished to submit referring to the draft that has already been made public and to some additional propositions. Senator Francis E. Newlands of Nevada, stated that he had a plank which he wished to lay before the committee but that it would not come from the printer until 6 o'clock. This was taken as additional reason for delaying real work upon the platform until evening.

Gen. John P. Poe of Maryland, announced that he had drafts of several planks which represent the views of Senator Gorman on all the important questions before the convention. Ex-Gov. Pattison of Pennsylvania, moved that a sub-committee of nine of which the chairman should be ex-officio chairman be appointed to draft a platform and report to the general committee. This suggestion was adopted as is the usual custom and Senator Daniel stated that he would announce the sub-committee when the general committee convened in the evening.

ROOTERS RULE BY GREAT DISORDER

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large circular disks, with a broad red rim, and bearing the name of the delegations in blue letters. The biggest of all was the standards marking the post of the sergeant-at-arms, to the right of the platform. It was a big shield in the national colors, lettered with his office. The lot looked like old-fashioned railway switch targets which had been treated to a new coat of paint.

Delegates Took Off Their Coats.

Pennsylvania, more fortunate than at Chicago, had a position squarely in front of the chairman's desk, with Michigan to its left. New York coming next. The hall is larger than that used by the Republican convention at Chicago, and will seat several thousand more people. The end galleries looked rather bare, although there was a great audience. The weather was hot and people in every direction took their coats off and sat in their shirt sleeves, giving the gathering rather the look of a baseball crowd on a holiday.

The oval shape of the hall is probably the cause of a troublesome echo which made every blow of the gavel sound like a double rap, and blurred the utterances of speakers. It was impossible to make out a word of what Chairman Jones was saying, even from the seats of the reporters, who are much closer than the general public. Nothing could be heard of the prayer delivered by the Rev. John F. Campbell Cannon of Grand Avenue Presbyterian church.

The announcement of John Sharpe Williams as temporary chairman was received with applause and was approved by acclamation. Mr. Williams was escorted in by a committee and was received with cheers. The cheering is of a peculiar quality not usually heard at Republican conventions. There is a "Hi, Hi" yell running through it which makes a tremendous volume of sound.

Mr. Williams began speaking at 12:26. He is of tall, spare figure and wore a gray suit. His voice has a rasp in it that carries it well, but it was not strong enough to extend through so vast a space and at the same time overcome that troublesome echo. Soon there were cries of "louder, louder," but it was of no avail. Only now and then could a word be heard and Mr. Williams soon lost his audience. Both in matter and delivery the address was ineffective.

Williams Pounded for Order.

Mr. Williams has an established reputation as a ready and effective debater in congress. If he had been speaking offhand doubtless he would have sustained that reputation, but the task had been assigned to him of replying to Mr. Root's speech at Chicago and the weight of that responsibility appeared to have suppressed all freedom of utterance. Mr. Root's speech had been carefully prepared in advance, but he used no notes and delivered it with oratorical fire, walking up and down the platform and gesticulating freely. Mr. Williams stood behind a desk upon which he had a copy of his speech to which he kept looking down. Now and then the hubbub became so great that he would stop and pound for order.

He only aroused the convention once and that was quite unanticipated and unwelcome. He was speaking in a sarcastic vein, accusing the Republican party of false pretenses and incidentally remarked that they had stolen their thunder from Grover Cleveland. Instantly there was a tremendous yell of applause from the convention. There were yells of "Grover! Grover!" and not a few hisses. Machine methods to stimulate the excitement were obvious, particularly in the Tammany camp, and the New Jersey delegates were up and hurrahing, but the demonstration was given sweep and volume by the spontaneous efforts of the audience.

The Democratic party appears to have come around to Cleveland and regards him with a respect and an admiration enhanced by the attacks to which he has been exposed for years, from the Bryanites. The audience kept it up, yelling, cheering and shouting "Grover, Grover," until Mr. Williams got tired of it and kept pounding away for order.

Some one shouted for Bryan and a Bryan cheer went up, good and strong. Mr. Bryan arose and bowed his acknowledgements. Then there was a fresh outbreak of Cleveland cheers, louder than before.

A Tim Murphy, a St. Louis man, was standing in the center aisle taking such an active part in the tumult that finally John J. Martin, sergeant-at-arms, made a dive for him and ordered him to quiet himself. There were hot words and a scuffle in which the Pennsylvania standard was knocked off its pole. The mix up was lively while it lasted, but it was brief. Murphy was dragged out, but the disorder continued and the convention never really came to order during the remainder of Williams' speech. After an interruption of 13 minutes he resumed speaking, amidst the hubbub, but for some time it was a piece of dumb show.

Finally, the audience began to hiss the noise makers. Fresh cries of "louder, louder" drew from Mr. William the irritated rejoinder: "I wish I had the lungs of some of you who are howling for me to speak louder."

He finished speaking at a few minutes after 2 o'clock, but such was the noise that most of the audience would not have known but for the fact that it was signalized by the band striking up "The Star Spangled Banner." The band followed with "Dixie," a tune which always stirs an American audience into outer yas no other can. There was a perfect whoop throughout the hall as the familiar notes were heard.

Routine proceedings connected with the temporary organization consumed the remainder of the session. At 2:47 the convention adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow. There is no disguise of the fact that Mr. Williams' speech is a general disappointment. A criticism frequently passed upon it is that it is wanting in dignity of tone.

OUTSIDE CONTRACTORS ARE LOWEST BIDDERS

Proposals on Carnegie Library Addition Opened—Secrecy Is Pledged.

The contract to build the addition to the Carnegie library, for which Andrew Carnegie has donated $5,000,000, will probably go to a contractor outside of Pittsburgh. This much was given out yesterday by a member of the building committee of the trustees of the library, but he refused to say anything more.

The committee met yesterday afternoon for several hours in the office of Alden & Harlow, architects, and opened bids from a dozen contractors in Pittsburgh and elsewhere, all of whose names have been published.

The members of the committee were pledged to secrecy and they were careful to give out little or no information. The statement was made by every member accosted that no information to the public would be given out until all the bids had been tabulated in detail and the contract awarded. One member, however, said:

"We have been instructed not to say anything, but I will say this much: The situation is badly mixed. The Pittsburgh bidders made a fair showing, but were not the lowest bidders. There are many specifications to be tabulated, but in the main outside contractors got the best of the local contractors."

Another meeting will be held tomorrow afternoon to take some action on the bids.

WIFE REFUSES DRINK; HUSBAND BEATS HER

NEW YORK, July 6.—(Special.)—Mrs. Martha Dennison was taken to a hospital in a critical condition early this morning, after a savage attack upon her by her husband, George Dennison, an electrician, who was arrested. Dennison had been drinking heavily of late and after making a round of the saloons, tried to persuade his wife to drink with him. Her refusal maddened him, and seizing an iron bar he struck her repeatedly over the head and body.

Gen. Haines Retires.

WASHINGTON, July 6.—Brig.-Gen. P. G. Haines was retired today, and Maj. Theodore A. Bingham will be appointed to succeed him and be retired immediately in favor of Col. Constant Williams.

BRITISH CAPTURE A TIBETAN FORT

Gallant Party Scales Wall of Jong 'Mid Hail of Shots and Stones.

ENGLAND ASSURES AMERICA

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

GYANGTSE, TIBET, July 6.—The Jong or fort, held by 7,000 Tibetans, was captured by a mere handful of British and Indian soldiers today. The excitement of the long day culminated in the scaling of a breach in the walls by Lieut. Grant, who was followed by a mixed company of gurkhas and fusiliers. They climbed the cleft in the rock in the face of a hail of fire and a fusillade of stones, which were hurled on their heads by the frantic Tibetans. A stone struck Lieut. Grant, sweeping him off his feet, but he recovered himself and was the first man over the breach. At dusk the battle was over, and though fitful bursts of musketry were still to be heard, the British held the jong, which dominates the town and the monastery beyond.

The plan of attack included three columns which were to rush the village ringing the base of the rock. At midnight last night the British troops began to move into position. The left and center columns were able to enter the village by sunrise, but so heavy was the fire directed on the right column that it was impossible to make any headway for several hours. By 7 o'clock, however the whole fringe of ramparts was captured. Lieut. Gordon who was leading a party of sikhs, was killed. The house tops were full of Tibetans who pelted the right column with bullets for hours.

The British 10-pounders made a breach in the wall between the two towers on the face of the cliff, the wall falling down in great masses. Shortly afterward an explosion occurred in the powder magazine of the Tibetans, by which many must have been killed. This, however, did not dismay the Tibetans. When the reserve companies of fusiliers and gurkahs advanced and delivered their assault, the Tibetans opened a heavy fire, but only one man was hit, owing to the open order adopted by the British. By dusk the helmets of fusiliers and gurkahs were to be seen on the highest building of the jong. The men were cheering.

LONDON, July 6.—The United States recently questioned Great Britain, as to whether she proposed to remain in Tibet, which would violate the integrity of China, Tibet being a Chinese dependency. Great Britain replied she had no intention of permanently occupying the country and the British expedition would be withdrawn when its mission was accomplished.

TO BOSTON 250 STRONG.

Ex-Prisoners Arrange to Attend National Meeting Next Month.

The Allegheny county association, Union ex-Prisoners of War, met last night at the office of Alderman Walker, 6018 Center avenue, made arrangements to attend the national encampment of the organization at Boston and elected officers for the coming year.

It was announced after the session that the local association, with the ladies' auxiliary, 250 in all, will, accompanied by Post 88, G. A. R., leave here for the encampment via the Lake Erie railroad, at 6 p. m. next Wednesday. J. D. Walker, national commander of the organization, will open quarters at the Hotel Vendome, Commonwealth avenue, Boston.

Officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: Commander, J. W. Eberhardt; vice commander, I. N. Bliss; quartermaster, E. L. Blair; adjutant, A. Jones; delegates to the encampment, Commander J. D. Walker, Past Commander Charles F. Sheriff, Past Commander A. H. Jones, D. A. Haggerty, John Scott, I. N. Bliss, James Cooper, John A. Fairman, F. L. Bliss, John Russell, Daniel McSweeney and G. W. Bruner.

Contract Let for Shelter House.

E. J. McIlvaine, director of public works of Allegheny, yesterday awarded the contract for building the proposed shelter house in Riverview park to ex-Councilman William F. Trimble of Allegheny. The bid was $8,400, but this does not include painting, plumbing or foundation.

Fire in a Tobacco Warehouse.

At 9:30 o'clock last evening a fire at the place of Hyman Cheifner, a leaf tobacco dealer at 157 Fulton street, damaged the stock to a considerable extent.

PERMANENT CHAIRMAN HAS NOT BEEN SECURED

Bailey Declines the Honor for a Chance to Handle Bryan on the Floor.

By L. W. STRAYER.
(Staff Correspondent.)

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ST. LOUIS, July 6.—Senator Bailey of Texas, has declined to act as permanent chairman of the convention and David B. Hill is in a quandary.

It is short notice to give a man to prepare a speech suitable for the occasion, and it is hard to get the right kind of a man for the place. When the committee on permanent organization met this afternoon the names of Senator Bailey and Congressman Champ Clark of Missouri, were considered, and there was a lively contest. Bailey won by two votes, and it was supposed that he would accept the place until late today, when he served notice on Mr. Hill that he would not consent to act as permanent chairman. He and Hill went to the latter's room and talked over the matter, but Bailey was determined to decline the honor. He said that Clark was his friend and if the Missouri man failed to accept the honor he did not have it. Hill is not enthusiastically in favor of Clark, but may have to take him in the event that he cannot do better.

Bailey's real reason for declining the chairmanship is believed to be his desire to have a floor where he can take a fall out of William J. Bryan. He is reported to be prepared with a speech which he will deliver if the Nebraska man attempts to make any trouble in the convention. The nature of Bailey's speech is difficult to ascertain, other than that it is to be the effort of his life.

It was supposed that he would flay Bryan alive if he got the chance, but tonight a report was in circulation that he would take the opposite tack and would apply the salve thickly. It was said he would argue that Bryan was all right in his campaigns, but that conditions have changed so that there is nothing inconsistent about him going along with the conservative element of the party at this time. The question of the chairmanship, it was announced tonight by Mr. Clark, would not be definitely settled until morning.

Wants Knox to Join.

James S. Young, the United States district attorney, was in Philadelphia yesterday consulting with Attorney James M. Beck, and it was understood that Senator P. C. Knox would meet them there. Young and Beck are counsel for Mrs. Genevieve C. Phipps, wife of Lawrence C. Phipps, who applied in Denver for divorce. Before going to Philadelphia Mr. Young said he hoped to be able to induce Senator Knox to become one of Mrs. Phipps' counsel.

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

Office of
Controller of Allegheny County,
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Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon Saturday, July 23, 1904, for the construction and completion of the alterations and additions to the Allegheny county jail, Pittsburgh, Pa. Plans, specifications and form of contract can be seen at the office of F. J. Osterling, architect, Times building, Pittsburgh. Bids to be addressed to the county commissioners. Each bid to be accompanied by a bidder's bond with two approved sureties, trust company bond, or certified check for one hundred thousand ($100,000.00) dollars, as a guarantee that the successful bidder will enter into a written contract and furnish necessary bond required by the commissioners for the faithful performance of the contract. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

R. J. CUNNINGHAM,
County Controller.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

IN the court of common pleas No. 3, No. 603, May term, 1904.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for grading, paving and curbing of Drum street, from Wilson avenue to Harrison avenue, Second ward.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office, Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the 21st day of July, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

H. C. WILSON,
GEO. F. LARIMER,
J. B. DUFF,
Viewers.

NEXT YEAR'S LEVY SEVENTEEN MILLS

Larkin Declares Bond Issues Mean a Big Increase in the Tax Rate.

AVOIDS TAKING EITHER SIDE

The bond issues, the expected deficiency in this year's revenues, and extra appropriations which he anticipates next year, will increase the tax levy for 1905 to 17 mills, so Controller Larkin declared in a statement to the public yesterday.

The controller gave figures to show that the $2,122,278 bond issue for the payment of judgments against the city and the proposed bond issues of $7,000,000 for filtration and the hump removal alone increase the tax levy next year nearly two mills, and two and one-half mills more will be added to meet the proposed increase of $100,000 in the appropriation for teachers' salaries and the $300,000 which the central board of education is expected to ask for the purchase of the Magee high school site, making a total increase in the tax levy of four and one-half mills. The present tax levy is 12½ mills.

The controller avoids taking any stand for or against the filtration and hump bond issues, but he conveys the impression, by giving these figures on the eve of the election, that he is opposed to the bond issues. He shows that the city will be compelled next year to make an extra appropriation of $905,362 for the payment of the first year's principal and interest on the bond issues, the interest being paid annually to the bondholders and the principal to be deposited each year in the sinking fund for payment in installments of one-sixth of the total amount of the bond issues every five years. The controller's statement follows:

"In reply to many letters of inquiry and personal importunities relative to the proposed bond issues, their entailments and effects hereafter, as well as the outlook for the next fiscal year, I feel it incumbent to make the following statement. From time to time during the past year I have written freely and unreservedly of the proposed bond issues and the improvements contemplated through their proceeds. I have also given to the public any information I could gather, as well as my individual views, and anything further would only involve needless controversy at a time when people have about made up their minds to vote for or against them.

"It is only fair, however, to give at this time a forecast of the tax rate for next fiscal year, and in doing so, say that the following estimate may be relied on absolutely, as conditions for which provision must be made, should the bond issues be affirmatively recommended. The deficiency for this year will not be less than $400,000. Annual interest and sinking fund charges on $1,122,278 16; $905,362 08 for loan recently authorized; annual interest and sinking fund charges on $7,000,000, loan to be voted on July 12, $513,-000 proposed increase of teachers' salaries, $100,000; money for purchase of Magee site for high school, $300,000; making a total of $1,395,362 08, or 3½ mills.

"Every dollar of this amount is in addition to this year's appropriation of 12½ mills. As the deficiency this year is 1 mill, it will require 13½ mills next year to meet the current expenses of the year, independent of the items enumerated above, or a total tax rate of 17 mills for 1905.

"This is not a pleasant picture, but it is always well, especially in an important matter like this, to know the whole truth in advance and then whatever we do is done with full knowledge."

REFUSES PRESIDENCY OF BUILDING TRADES

Henry G. Legleitner is Tired of Managing Affairs of Local Labor Body.

Henry G. Legleitner, president of the Building Trades council, established the local labor World yesterday when he announced that he will resign that position. The annual election of the council takes place this month and Mr. Legleitner has no opposition, but his determined intention to step down and out of the position

HENRY G. LEGLEITNER.
He Does Not Want to Be President of the Building Trades Council Again.

he has filled so ably the last two years causes some uneasiness as to who can be found to fill his place.

Mr. Legleitner has been in the labor movement for a number of years and it was through his efforts that the last lockout, which was a sequel to the plumbers' strike, was adjusted. He is at present business agent of the boilermakers' union, which is affiliated with the Bridge and Structural Iron Workers.

With a number of others, Legleitner is a candidate for the chief marshalship for the coming Labor day parade. Judging from the number of organizations supporting him, he will undoubtedly be accorded that honor. His friends urged him to run for chief marshal of last Labor day parade, but he refused in favor of E. A. Magino, business agent of the steamfitters.

FOR GUARD ENCAMPMENT.

Itinerary Planned for the Transportation of Troops to Gettysburg.

Details are being completed for the transportation of the soldiers of the Second brigade to Gettysburg for the division encampment of the National Guard, which will open on July 23. Maj. Lew A. Wentz, quartermaster of the Second brigade, was summoned to Harrisburg yesterday by Col. W. F. Richardson, quartermaster of the division, to make final preparations for the big gathering of the troops.

Brig.-Gen. John A. Wiley will establish his headquarters at Gettysburg on July 19. The detail from the Eighteenth regiment will leave for Gettysburg over the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at 9 p. m. on July 19. The regiment will go on the same route at 9 p. m. on July 21. The Fifth, Fourteenth and Sixteenth regiments will go via the Pennsylvania railroad on July 21. They will be joined here by the new cavalry troop from New Castle. The Tenth regiment will mobilize at Greensburg and go to camp over the Pennsylvania. Battery B will send its detail from the Liberty station on the Pennsylvania on July 20 and the battery will leave on the following day.

Reduction in World's Fair Rates Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Effective July 1, the Baltimore & Ohio railroad reduced rates for world's fair tickets from Pittsburgh (tickets on sale every day) as follows:

Fifteen-day, $15.
Sixty-day, $18.10.
Season, $22.60.

Special $12 tickets—good in coaches only—will be sold on dates to be announced later. Railroad and Pullman tickets may be secured in advance at city ticket office, corner Fifth avenue and Wood street.

Excursion to Cumberland July 10, via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

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JAPAN READY TO ENTERTAIN.

Chambers of Commerce Advise Tourists There Is No Danger.

A circular letter was received yesterday by the chamber of commerce signed by the presidents of about a dozen chambers of commerce of the important cities of Japan. The letter deplores the fact that an impression prevails in this, as well as in other countries, that, as Japan is at war with Russia, it is dangerous for tourists to visit Japan.

The letter asserts that such is not the case, as there is no fighting going on in Japan proper, nor is there likely to be, and that visitors to that country will not only be heartily welcomed, but will be protected while there.

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Do You Need an Axminster Carpet?	Let us furnish you with the $1.50, $1.00 and $1.75 kind	at	**$1.25 yd.**
Do You Need Lace Curtains?	Come and let us show you the $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00 kind	at	**$2.25**
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Cleveland "Flyer"	* 8:00 am	* 6:30 pm
Youngst'n & Cleve. Mail	* 8:30 am	* 5:10 pm
Buffalo and Erie Express	† 8:30 am	† 7:10 pm
Lake Chautauqua Fast Line	*12:50 pm	* 8:30 pm
St. Louis Express	*12:50 pm	* 8:30 am
Buffalo and Erie Express	† 5:00 pm	† 9:45 pm
Cleveland and Chicago Ex.	* 2:30 pm	*12:30 am
Boston Special	† 5:00 pm	† 6:35 am
Cleve. & Detroit "Flyer"	* 6:15 pm	* 6:35 am
Chicago Limited	* 6:15 pm	* 5:20 am
Louisville Limited	* 9:00 pm	† 5:20 pm
Buffalo and Cleveland Ex.	*10:30 pm	* 8:35 am
Youngstown Accom.	†10:30 am	* 8:35 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 8:40 am	† 5:38 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 9:05 am	† 5:30 am
West Pittsburgh Accom.	†12:10 pm	† 4:35 pm
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 4:30 pm	† 9:40 am
New Castle Express	† 4:29 pm	† 7:30 am
New Castle Express	† 8:05 am	† 1:10 pm
Beaver Valley Express	† 5:25 pm	† 6:30 am
Brownsville Accom.	† 8:10 am	† 6:45 pm
Perryville & N. Haven Ex.	* 8:00 am	* 8:00 am
McKeesport & Brownsville	†11:50 am	†12:40 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven	† 3:30 pm	† 4:50 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven	† 5:20 pm	† 5:45 pm

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Columbus and Cincinnati	* 4:50 am	* 8:40 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire	* 5:00 am	† 7:25 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 6:30 am	* 4:55 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	* 8:00 am	* 2:15 pm
Alliance and Mansfield	* 8:05 am	* 8:30 pm
Jamestown and Youngstown	* 8:25 am	* 4:00 pm
Ohio Valley Express	† 8:45 am	* 8:30 pm
Salem and Alliance	* 7:00 am	†10:40 pm
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 8:00 am	* 4:55 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 7:30 am	* 4:55 pm
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The Forest City Special	* 8:00 am	* 5:40 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8:00 am	* 5:40 pm
Mercer and Oil City	* 8:05 am	†11:05 am
Jamestown and New Castle	* 8:25 am	* 5:25 pm
Erie, Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 8:05 am	†11:05 am
Expo Train, Ft. Wayne, St. Louis	* 8:30 am	* 6:30 pm
Youngstown and Niles	* 9:30 am	* 6:30 pm
The Toledo Special	†11:30 am	* 8:20 pm
The World's Fair Special	* 1:00 pm	* 2:15 pm
Columbus and Chicago	1:05 pm	* 5:40 pm
Youngstown and Jamestown	†12:55 pm	†11:05 am
New Castle and Ashtabula	†12:55 pm	†11:05 am
Cleveland and Bellaire	† 1:25 pm	† 1:15 pm
Alliance and Mansfield	† 1:55 pm	† 1:00 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 4:30 pm	* 8:20 pm
Mercer and Oil City	* 4:30 pm	* 8:20 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 4:05 pm	* 8:40 am
The Cleveland Special	* 5:00 pm	*11:15 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 5:30 pm	† 2:10 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 5:30 pm	† 2:10 am
Cleveland and Chicago	* 5:30 pm	* 5:30 am
Cleveland and Chicago	* 6:00 pm	* 6:00 am
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Thursday, July 7, 1904.

The Gazette desires to call the attention of those of its readers who contemplate summer trips to the announcements of the many summer resort hotels published on page 12 of this issue.

City Controller John B. Larkin is early with his estimate of the millage for next year. He announces that it will be necessary to levy 17 mills upon the new valuation to meet the expenditures of the city next year. A part of the increase will be to meet interest and sinking fund requirements upon the new bonded indebtedness, created and proposed, and the controller can see no prospect of saving in any other direction to balance this. His efforts to find new sources of revenue have not been encouraged by councils or the administration, so he can see nothing for it except that the realty owner must hump his back and carry the load. This estimate is a long way from Mr. Larkin's promise of a 10-mill levy, but it is due him to recognize the fact that the failure is not all his fault.

Last evening the committee on rules of the Democratic national convention decided to adhere to the two-thirds vote in making nominations. This is not an unexpected development. The first Democratic convention allowed one vote to each state in balloting for nominee for president, that vote being arranged by the congressional delegation from each state. Later when the clamor of large populations compelled a change it was decided to adopt the unit rule for states and to require a two-thirds vote in order that states which never gave Democratic majorities could not control the nominations. Thus the rule is "time-honored," but from the fact that no southern men are chosen it has small practical significance. Its adoption, just now, means that the conservatives have more than two-thirds of the convention.

No vice president has been discovered by the delegates at St. Louis yet, though David R. Francis is in high favor. Representative Williams, the temporary chairman of the convention, has been vociferous in declining the honor before it has been offered to him, and an incipient boom was started at one stage for Turner of Washington, a Silver Republican of eight years ago. Another boom has been started for John T. McGraw of West Virginia, a well-deserved testimonial to the services of the most active and one of the most genial Democrats of our neighboring state. The Grafton leader is not running away from the nomination, either. He is not pretending that he does not want it. He knows it is a high honor, he is probably not fearful of election, and, if elected, he would not be obliged to depend upon the salary of the office for subsistence. Mr. McGraw would make a good candidate.

Circumstances appear to be forcing the United States into the attitude of maintaining a sort of Monroe doctrine in Asia as well as in the western hemisphere. By common consent of the European powers the protection of the integrity of the Chinese empire has been entrusted to this country, because it is the one great power in the world not suspected of territorial designs on its own behalf. The inquiry of the state department concerning British intentions in Tibet is the latest instance of this watchful care, and it is pleasing to note that Great Britain has replied promptly that it has no intention to occupy Tibetan territory permanently. It was upon the initiative of American diplomacy that the combatants in the far east agreed to limit the zone of hostilities and respect the Chinese boundaries, though Russia appears ever since then to class this country among its enemies.

Writing to the New York Sun, a correspondent suggests that had there been on board the Slocum a dozen men of the type of the Rev. Mr. Schultze hundreds of lives might have been saved. Mr. Schultze got 50 children in a corner of the upper deck. He held them cool and steady until a tugboat came and took them all safely off. The suggestion is pertinent to all such excursion parties as that which set out on the Slocum. It is almost the rule that when churches get up outings of this character they send great crowds of women and children on perilous water trips without sufficient men to take care of them. It is encouraging to note that one church has instituted a reform in this matter. Not only do the trustees of St. John's church in Brooklyn condemn these large water parties given without adequate male protection, but they also announce that they will not permit any more such excursions to be given by their church except on iron or steel steamboats, with fireproof decks, protected boiler and galley rooms, a minimum of woodwork, a properly drilled crew, and a full supply of life-saving devices. This good example will doubtless be followed by the governing bodies of other churches and societies. Not even official action by federal and municipal authorities could be more effective in causing proprietors of excursion boats speedily to institute the reforms demanded of them.

A Disappointing Utterance.

Even Democrats must feel disappointment at the speech of the Hon. John Sharp Williams, temporary chairman of the Democratic convention. Mr. Williams was selected on the strength of his record in the house for the important duty of sounding the keynote for his party. How he performed that duty may be seen by a perusal of the speech on another page. In a way he recognized the issues, but his presentation of them was in a whining voice of complaint instead of the manly declarations expected of him. He began, naturally enough, by an attack upon President Roosevelt. In the course of it he said many things not warranted by facts and some things not in accord with the spirit of fairness inherent in every true American. We may let that go. It is hardly worth while to reply because it is more likely to create a bad impression of the speaker than of the man spoken about.

Passing to the Republican platform, Mr. Williams let himself out in fine style in negation. Not a word of affirmation, but one denial after another with no more evidence in support of them than the simple word of the orator. Here the whine became pronounced. The wicked Republican party, in convention assembled, had the effrontery to claim credit for the good it has done in the world. This, according to the statesman from Mississippi, is taking an unfair advantage. The party with a record to which it can "point with pride" ought to stand on "the issues of the present," and thus on a parity with the party which has a record to be ashamed of, and which is about to repudiate its own folly. He would share the glorious name of Lincoln and the loved name of McKinley with the Democracy, which did all it could to destroy both of them.

Coming down to "the issues of the present," Mr. Williams was no more happy in his plan of treatment. He boldly denied the claims of the Reublican party for what it has done, but it was the same unfortunate negative without show of proof. He declared that the Democratic party did do something to enforce the anti-trust laws when former Attorney General Harmon found an unfinished suit against the Trans-Missouri Traffic association and prosecuted it to a successful conclusion. A suit begun by a Republican administration! He denied that a Democratic tariff has always been followed by disaster, but failed to cite an instance to the contrary.

Probably the most interesting part of Mr. Williams' address is that referring to the platform that is to be adopted. It is popularly supposed that he has written the document, and is, therefore, good authority on what it will contain. He said it will promise that if the Democratic party is entrusted with the cares of government it will inaugurate a policy of reducing the tariff to a point "where foreign competition may enter the American market," cloaking this threat with the pretense that it is for the correction of the "trusts." It will come out flat-footed for amicable trade relations, says Mr. Williams, and for liberal reciprocity with Canada. There is also a promise that the Philippines shall have complete independence "as soon as it can be wisely and safely done," which may be important if it means anything. There is no suggestion as to when that time may arrive when it can "be wissly and safely done."

Finally Mr. Williams sounded a real keynote, that of race prejudice. This note has not appeared so prominently in any campaign since the south began to pretend that it was trying to forget the war. He throws in a threat of "race war" and a reference to "white supremacy" in a way calculated to catch southern sentiment and keep the south "solid." This was hardly necessary. There has been no particular hope in the Republican camp that any southern states might leave their allegiance to the Democratic party and its doctrine of disfranchisement. It is not an issue that is likely to make many converts in the north.

All in all, the speech of the temporary chairman has been a disappointment to all who expected him to rise above his party's pettiest prejudices and present a genuine issue. Senator Bailey has been chosen for permanent chairman and he may do better. Less is generally expected of him, and if he rises to the occasion he will make a better impression than Mr. Williams, who has fallen so far below expectations. It is notable that he did not mention any money plank for the platform, and this may be interpreted as significant of the intention to dodge that question after all the brave show of eliminating Bryanism.

Our Bad Roads.

William Osgood, who is touring portions of the country in the interest of an automobile association, frankly declares the roads in Western Pennsylvania to be the worst he has found in his travels; that is, main roads connecting populous centers. This is a pretty harsh estimate, but we cannot undertake to deny it. The roads over the greater part of this rich state are abominable. This condition results from an imperfect system and the wise lawmakers have steadily refused to better it. They have listened to propositions carrying an appropriation, with or without the flag, and were, in a moment of abstraction, induced to pass the Flinn local option law under which Allegheny county alone operates. Many counties cannot afford the luxury of paved roadways at $10,000 a mile, and for want of a cheaper and better system they wallow along with their mud holes, spending enough money every year to make decent roads, if rightly applied, for a decade.

A sensible bill was once introduced by Senator Brown of Westmoreland county and urged without success at several sessions. It provided for engineer supervision of the roads and construction with permanent materials, offering, also, encouragement to land owners who would construct genuine good roads along their properties. That system would not have made every bad road good the first year, but it would have put into operation a system that would have led to steady improvement from year to year, without perceptible increase in the burden of taxation. It was a sane system that was proposed.

Any observer with the rudiments of an engineering education can tell what is the matter with the country roads. It is not that they are made exclusively with soft earth. In many localities tremendous quantities of stone are improperly applied. The roads are made flat or hollow in the middle. There is no recognition of the fact that water runs down hill or that water which finds its level gradually acquires a muddy bed. Earth is thrown up on one or both sides of the highway in such manner as to absolutely prevent drainage instead of being put where it would shed the water like a roof. The result is ruts, gulleys and "chuck holes." It could not be otherwise.

There is no county in this state so poor it cannot afford to employ a road engineer to establish grades and instruct road foremen in the first principles of road-making. There is no county that would not profit greatly from the services of such a man. In our humble opinion no better use could be made of the funds appropriated by the state than to put an engineer in each county to teach the fundamentals of good roads—the science of a rounded bed, good drains and the impervious roof. The ordinary road tax, intelligently expended, will convert the ordinary bogs into roadways.

The Grand Old Party.

While Mr. Williams of Mississippi was trying to convince the willing delegates in the Democratic convention that it is not the same old Republican party, a large number of persons, who can speak by the better authority of more intimate acquaintance, were busy at Jackson, Mich., celebrating the semi-centennial of the party organization. The address delivered there by John Hay, secretary of state, makes more interesting reading than the speech of Mr. Williams and contains much more of truth. The address of Senator Fairbanks, Republican candidate for vice president, though inferior to that of Mr. Hay in literary style, compares favorably with that of Mr. Williams.

The claims of Jackson to being the birthplace of the Republican party are well authenticated. It was born there as a local party, but it adopted great, vital principles, so it is not surprising that it expanded to a national party, here in Pittsburgh, less than two years afterward. Since then its history has been an open book. It has been a party of the people, upholding American interests, American citizenship, defending the bulwarks of freedom and promoting humanity throughout the world. Coming into life to abolish the horrible institution of human slavery from this fair republic, it has ever been true to its faith and traditions. Having abolished slavery it undertook to elevate free labor to a better plane. It accomplished the task and is now striving to further improve its condition.

This great party has stood for 50 years and is standing for the moral and material welfare of the plain people of this country. By way of recognition of its principles and mission it has been entrusted with unlimited power in the government for a greater part of the 50 years since it was organized than any other party in any country. The American people are right at heart and know where to give their political favor. The victories of the Republican party have been won by fair voting, without coercion or race restrictions.

If future savants have a mind
To poke around the junk of old,
Amid the rubbish they will find
One crown of thorns and cross of gold.

The president of Chicago Theological seminary says that it would be a good thing for ministerial students to take a year or two of newspaper work. But isn't it St. Luke who tells us that Zaccheus could not see Jesus for the press?

Those Des Moines citizens who were induced by a promoter to sink $2,000,000 in a worthless scheme for recovering the lost art of making Damascus blades are convinced that the whole business was a bad steal.

If an injunction is going to issue against those ants who have been brought here to eat the weevil, let it be on the ground of violating the alien labor law.

Though entering on its thirteenth presidential campaign, the Republican party can undauntedly say with Rory O'Moore that there's luck in odd numbers.

Across the century there rolls this timely caution to the belligerents in the far east: "Trust in God, but keep your powder dry."

It is a singular coincidence that the Republican semi-centennial should be held at a town named Jackson.

The dark entries apparently don't stand a ghost of a show in the St. Louis "free-for-all" race.

Where is the contemptible vandal who slashed Willie Hearst's costly balloon?

The McClellan boom: Since I am so soon done for, what was I begun for?

The Japanese evidently don't know enough to come in when it rains.

A nice, juicy cut off the beef combine, if you please. Thanks.

Talked of in Gotham

By ALEXANDER DODDS.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, July 6.—This city throbs with the name of Alton B. Parker. Tammany may say the people do not want him to be leader of the Democratic host, but the big striped cat does not control the public mind that hungers for mysteries, even if it does hold the vote. Judge Parker, the sphinx jurist, farmer of Esopus, has the qualifications at least of being mildly interesting and every day the New York newspaper offices are besieged with 'phone calls asking if he has said anything as yet. Just now he is farming and while his boomers in the turmoil at St. Louis are invoking the lightning to strike, it comes at Esopus without bidding and the judge is kept busy fighting the showers it brings, while he is getting in his hay. He actually dodged a bolt this morning, while overseeing the work upon his farm and now the timid ones are wondering if the lightning is going to strike twice in the same place.

Undoubtedly it is wise for Cincinnatus to stay by the plow in convention days. And from the present indications the Esopus Cincinnatus will be "there" when St. Louis talks. His mail goes out to the farm by the basketful and the anxious public would give something for a peek into that correspondence. When the seals are broken and the contents read there are only smiles on the judge's face. Glued to the ground, though his eyes may be, Judge Parker's ear will not be far from the telephone which connects his farm with the nearest telegraph office and the twentieth century plow may can it over the wife just as well as the ancient statesman by means of the prehistoric megaphone, when there is news for him.

What a Burdensome Collar Did.

This is not a horse collar "ad" but a romance, for they met at the side of a broken-down horse. Shoulder-sore and half starved, a mere shadow of a man's most faithful servant dragged a heavy van across Broadway and Sixth avenue at noon today. A handsomely gowned young woman had a policeman halt the team and telephone for an officer of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. Of course a crowd collected and the city editor of the Herald sent Reporter Blauvelt to the scene. As the scribe stood at the edge of the crowd getting in line on what was happening he heard the young woman tell the policeman that she had been born in Texas and could not bear to see a horse abused. Then Blauvelt, to start the conversation, told her he had been born in New Mexico.

"My father is a captain in the Fifteenth," he said. A startled look came to her eyes, then she blushed and said:

"My father is the adjutant of the Fourth infantry."

In the southland and the Philippines these two regiments have followed each other about the world. Officers and their families have visited and several intermarriages have taken place, but as Miss Maxwell, the adjutant's daughter, and Mr. Blauvelt, the captain's son, exchanged cards, while awaiting for the arrest of the inhuman driver, they met for the first time.

Soon to Be for the Rich Only.

While it was to be expected that the bawling calf would follow the cow, the tagging behind of the adolescent mutton was totally unlooked for, hence the surprise when it was announced today that spring lamb had advanced half a dollar a head, wholesale. Butchers also say that the housekeepers must endure another week of high prices for all meats. Agents for the western packers have reported no light cattle in this market to be had at any price. That stiffened the beef prices which the latter part of last week had a tendency to sag. Roasting cuts are bringing 18 cents in Washington market and porterhouse steaks 28 cents a pound. Veal has jumped 25 cents the head wholesale. Compared to the speculation of the meat market, Wall street life is a game of inoffensive tiddledewinks.

He Died of a Broken Heart.

Educated and once wealthy, John Runsen, "Old John the Scholar," he was called, was found dead today in his little room at the top of a Brooklyn tenement. "Old John" was 80 years of age and a Long Island hospital physician who was summoned said he had been dead at least three days. He had lived the life of a recluse and made a confidant of no one. The favorite of children for blocks around, he would entertain them by the hour with tales of adventure in foreign lands. Frequently he would help them with their lessons, from which fact he derived the title of "Old John the Scholar." He once had been wealthy, but had lost all and his death is said to have resulted from disappointment at the failure to receive a legacy which for months he had expected.

Samuel Nixon Going to Europe.

On the steamer Deutschland tomorrow Samuel F. Nixon, of the firm of Nixon & Zimmerman, and for whom the Nixon theater in Pittsburgh was named, accompanied by his family, will take his annual departure for Europe. Pleasure rather than business is the motive of these yearly excursions, but in London Mr. Nixon will have a conference with Viola Allen that may have a bearing on her tour of 1905-6. Her plans for the approaching season embody revivals of "Winter's Tale" and "Twelfth Night." A season later she will appear in a production of unusual magnitude. Marie Cahill and Daniel V. Arthur will also be passengers on the Deutschland. They will visit London, Paris, Vienna, Berlin and Budapest.

Highway Abolished for a Vanderbilt.

William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., has at last succeeded in closing the highway that runs through his property at Lake Success on Long Island. His first applied to the highway commissioner to have the road abolished, but the plea was denied owing to opposition from the public. However, some time ago he offered to pay $50,000 for the right-of-way and now the road is ordered closed. Today he gave his personal check for the expenses of the inquiry and just to show that he has no hard feelings toward the community he will also build a macadamized road connecting the county roads from Lakeville to Hyde Park.

Socialists Name Their Candidates.

Today the national convention of the Socialist Labor party, which has been in session at the Grand Central Palace since last Saturday, nominated candidates on the national ticket. The candidate for president is Charles H. Corrigan of New York, and vice president, William H. Cox of Illinois. Corrigan is the foreman of the composing room of The People, the national organ of the party, printed at Syracuse, and his nomination was received with enthusiastic applause.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

Waldorf-Astoria.
Mrs. J. H. Hays.
Mrs. E. L. Clarke.
Miss Clarke.
W. J. Patterson.

Manhattan.
A. P. Bixler.
H. A. Carpenter.
J. McCleave.
G. A. Hayes.
E. E. Gilles.

Imperial.
P. MacGahan.
J. P. Harris.
J. D. Callery.
J. Lippincott.
C. N. Johnston.

Holland.
A. W. Harper.
D. C. Pyers.
J. McLeod.

Herald Square.
T. A. Marter.
C. E. Smith.
S. M. Rose.
M. Lasday.
W. C. Pressing.

Aster.
J. A. Weldon.
H. L. Austin.
F. S. Pease.

Union Square.
J. B. Johnson.
Mrs. Johnson.

St. Denis.
E. S. Grace.
T. B. Lekow.
J. L. Moore.
Miss Moore.
M. E. Finn.
Mrs. Finn.

Grand Union.
C. B. Norton.
J. Walker, Jr.
Mrs. Walker.

Albemarle.
E. Larson.

Bartholdi.
A. J. Mathews.

Cadillac.
H. S. Card.
Mrs. Card.

Navarre.
E. G. O'Bryan.

Broadway Central.
G. H. Lyle.

Morton.
J. H. Voegler.

Park Avenue.
W. G. Cunningham.

Hoffman.
E. J. Duff.

Grand.
J. Ablett.

Sympathy Wasted.

It is needless to attempt to work up any emotion of sympathy for the fellow who holds a cannon firecracker in his hand and blows the member off. He can get a wooden hand, and this will match his head.—New York American.

The Quiet Observer

By ERASMUS WILSON.

The human animal is not alone when it comes to appropriating the garb, or the home of another to its own use.

There is the European cuckoo, for instance, that was never known to build a nest for itself, but boldly, if not insolently, takes possession of the home built by another bird. If the rightful owner puts up an objection it is likely to get a drubbing, and have its eggs eaten or its young destroyed.

And then there are a number of other birds too lazy to build nests, but they are usually satisfied to take possession of deserted nests. Any old thing will do for them.

There are people in almost every community who are as easily satisfied, and were it not that landlords are so strongly opposed to squatter rights there would be no end of squatters.

So anxious are some to live rent free that they resort to a variety of tricks to give the landlord the slip.

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The cuckoo type is somewhat different. Those who belong to it seem to take special delight in crowding others out of their seats in cars, out of their places in restaurants, off the sidewalk and out of the dry nook into the rain.

Nor does the real cuckoo stop at this, but tries to crowd his neighbor out of his place of business, takes his home from him and occupies his possessions generally. And if his neighbor objects he simply knocks him out, by fair means or foul.

You may know those who have never built a house, never established a business on their own account, but were always looking out for a place to crowd in, and seemed to be all the better satisfied if they could crowd some other fellow out.

And it seems that the worse the streak a fellow strikes the harder the cuckoo crowds him to his fall, and then kicks his family and dependents out that they may follow and share his misfortunes.

There are a number of species of the cuckoo, but each possesses the peculiar characteristic of the family to a greater or lesser degree.

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A careful observer tells us through Country Life about the habits of the hermit crab, and from his interesting story this sand-dweller must be a regular cuckoo.

Not having a shell of its own this queer fish takes possession of anyone that it finds to its taste, provided it is empty or its occupant can be crowded out, or even literally eaten out of house and home by the crab.

Finding no empty shell of suitable size, the hermit may be driven to ask a brother hermit to vacate in his favor. The proposition is spurned indignantly and a fight ensues. The battle is to the stronger. Often the attacking party has considerable trouble in cleaning out the shell, having to pick his adversary out in bits. A periwinkle or a whelk may be attacked in a like manner by a hermit who is hard pressed and has taken a fancy to that particular shell. If the householder be feeble the conquest is easy. If lusty he holds the fort.

At last the search is over. The shell is cleaned and ready.

"Yes, this will do. But how my back does ache! I mustn't delay a minute. Is anybody looking? Here goes, then, and may I never have to move again."

In the twinkling of an eye the caudal hooks let go their hold deep in the spiral of the old shell and have safely anchored the weak and flaccid body to the inner convolutions of the new one.

It is all over; an empty shell lies on the sand and a larger one is near it, with a sleepy-looking hermit crab in it. Poke him and he leans languidly out over his pearly balcony as if to say "If this deadly monotony is not broken soon I shall die."

But behind this "society mask" the cramped muscles are stretching out and adjusting themselves in absolute contentment to the roomy spaces offered them.

And there are human hermit crabs that haven't a grain more respect for the rights of others, nor a speck more of sympathy for those whom they undo than has this lazy lobster.

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There are many kinds of people in the world, each kind differing somewhat from another, and yet all are after the comforts of life. The reason that they go about it differently is that their ideas concerning comfort are different.

The burglar, for instance, thinks that what he steals, doesn't cost him anything, and that it is all clear profit. And yet you hardly ever hear of one that has gotten much comfort out of life.

The Sun published a talk with a retired burglar not long since that reads as though it might be all right. During the talk he said:

"It's a common idea, I know," said the retired burglar, "that the burglary business must be tremendously profitable because whatever you make in it is all clear gain; but there couldn't be a greater mistake.

"It ain't the percentage of profit that counts so much, my son; it's the volume of business you do.

"All is not gold that glitters. I've been into houses that looked most promising and found 'em only plated; and I've been into plenty of houses where they had the stuff put away in such shape that I couldn't get at it; and then I've been into plenty of houses where what I got really wouldn't pay my expenses for the day.

"And consider the days, or the nights, rather, when you can't do any business at all; bright moonlight nights, for instance, when you can't go abroad. Some men on such nights do go to places where the buildings are close together and where they can keep in the shadow, and so keep busy; but there's more men that lose by the moon a certain number of nights every month when their expenses, of course, are going on just the same, but with nothing whatever coming in.

"No, sir. The popular notion about the burglary business is all wrong. To begin with, it's only the men of real ability in it, just as it is in any other, that really make anything at it, anyway; the men of judgment and energy and persistence; the capable and hard and steady workers. The rest of 'em, like the majority of men in any line of business, barely made a living at it, if they do that.

"Truly, whatever a man does get, if he gets anything, is all clean profit, but the profits are no good unless you get enough of them. It's like the drug business; the profits are all right, but you've got to do a business to make it pay."

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Since there are all sorts of people in the world there must needs be all sorts of ways of living.

Or is it the ways of living that make people what they are?

You would hardly accept a job in a caisson, much less seek it, yet there are those—many more than are needed—who crowd the offices of contractors who have caisson work to do.

This work, as you may know, is very dangerous except to those in perfect physical health, owing to the tremendous air pressure under which they have to exist while employed, and even these die in a few years.

And yet, knowing the work will shorten their lives by many years, they clamor and struggle to get it.

One would not be surprised at this were there no other work to do, but men will give up other employment to get this, taking all risk of sudden death, and accepting the certainty of premature death.

No wonder that man is held to be a queer sort of animal. But wasn't he so designed, and isn't he so built that he can and will readily adapt himself to almost any condition that may confront him?

And is it not true that as long as there are submarine tunnels to build there will be caisson men, and while there continues the necessity for ditches there will be ditch diggers?

Pittsburghers at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, July 6.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburgh people are registered at the leading St. Louis hotels:

Stratford.
T. H. Nute.

Wirt.
L. Smith.

Christian Endeavor.
M. C. Countryman.
Albert P. Wolf.
Mrs. Wolf.
Howard M. Fleming.
Miss Sarah McMunn.

Washington.
Thomas B. Reber.

Southern.
L. A. Miller.

Planters.
John E. McGuire.

Epworth.
A. C. Adams.

Fills Long Felt Want.

"Protector" is the name of the American submarine boat which has been added to the Russian navy. The czar's navy has seemed to need a protector or chaperon or something of that kind.—New York World.

A Backwoods Parish

THE STROLLER.

"In the early days of my ministry," said a Pittsburgh clergyman of the Methodist Episcopal denomination, "I was sent by my presiding elder to take charge of a little hardscrabble circuit in the upper peninsula of Michigan. I was but recently married, and my salary was to be $450 a year. My wife and I stuck it out there for one year, but what chiefly makes the place memorable to me is that I found in it the meanest man I ever ran across. The village had a population largely made up of fisher folk, for it was on Lake Superior. Among the magnates of the place was an old chap who had made a snug fortune by dealing in fish. We'll call him Scragg. Half the town was made up of descendants from the Scragg family tree, and for 50 years they had been christened, wedded and buried from my church. The head of the clan was a tight-fisted, profane old curmudgeon, who never darkened the door of a church. Somewhere back in the mist of tradition he had once contributed to the pastor's salary, and that act of generosity had ever since inspired him with the belief that he had thereby purchased a through ticket to the best part of the other world. When it came time for me to leave the field, however, and to collect the considerable balance due me on my slender salary, a committee of women, including a couple of his relatives, went to work on old Scragg to such effect that, after two or three days, they succeeded in worming $5 out of him in the face of much bitter reviling and profanity.

"On the day set for my departure it was necessary for me to convey my stock of household goods to a wharf to await the coming of the steamer. A coal company owned the wharf ordinarily used for this purpose and charged a moderate dockage fee. Before I could remove my goods to it, however, old Scragg sent one of his daughters up to the parsonage to inform me that I was welcome to use his fishing wharf. Grateful for the kindliness which had prompted the old man to save me this extra expense from our small resources, I accepted his offer.

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"In due course of time my wife and I arrived at our new charge near Detroit. The journey across the lake had been a long one, and it had been necessary to transfer our goods, involving double charges. When I went down to the steamship freight office, therefore, I was somewhat staggered to see the amount of my bill, and insisted on having the various charges explained to me. This progressed satisfactorily until the agent ran up against an item of $5 for dockage, which seemed absolutely unwarranted, and was marked by no location. On my protest against paying this charge until I was satisfied of its correctness, he accepted the balance of the bill, turned the goods over to me and promised to trace the disputed matter. He was as good as his word, but it took him two weeks to do it and when he got through he had accumulated a mass of correspondence nearly a foot high. The last letter in the batch informed him that the charge of $5 was for dockage at the village which I had left. Old Scragg had got back his own.

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"I had another experience in that charge," continued the clergyman, "which every Fourth of July serves to bring to mind. It was at my own suggestion that the people of the place consented to devote part of their Independence day that year to a patriotic service in the church. It was an innovation, for hitherto they had held such exercises as they devised, in the open air, and to the accompaniment of the unrestrained racket privileged to the small fry. They possessed a local orator, too, in the person of a tarry and bibulous old fisherman who had somewhere picked up a smattering of learning. This, coupled with a natural fluency of speech—but not of ideas—and a reputation for having 'fit and bled' somewhere during the civil war, made of him an orator whose spread eagle flights of eloquence and vociferous waving of the 'bloody shirt' never failed to arouse his auditors to wild enthusiasm.

"Well, I had arranged, among other features, to have our exercises at the church of a simple, but impressive character. I had engaged a budding young elocutionist to read the Declaration of Independence, a bright young fellow from the public schools to declaim Lincoln's address at Gettysburg, and, as a sort of piece-de-resistance, a short address by a popular and scholarly local physician. I was to lead in prayer.

"Among the crowd that gathered in the little church was our bibulous friend, the orator. He bore not the slightest ill-will at being thus deposed for the nonce from his customary honor, and his face was radiant with patriotism largely induced, I suspect, by liberal libations which he had offered to her shrine before coming in. He was there in all his dignity and good nature to enjoy the innovation to the utmost and, as he was a leader among his fellow-citizens, they had come prepared to follow his cue under the novel and somewhat doubtful circumstances.

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"The exercises began with the singing of 'America,' and then I stepped forward to offer the invocation. I didn't know quite as much about the philosophy of prayer as I do now, and as I warmed up to my petition, I suppose I must have grown rather oratorical myself. At any rate, I had just rounded out a fervid apostrophe to our country's greatness, when the bibulous dignitary down in front saw that the proper time had come for him to cut in and set a good example. Stamping his huge boots on the floor and striking his broad palms together like claps of thunder, he shouted, 'Hooray!'

"His obedient admirers lost not an instant in following his lead. In another moment the air was rent with a chorus of huzzahs, while the clatter of a hundred feet added to the deafening applause.

"I stopped short in my petition, of course—petrified with astonishment. The doctor was leaning back in his chair nearly dying from laughter. The audience, encouraged by its own efforts, redoubled its cheers and stamping. There was nothing to do but to wait patiently for the tumult to subside. When it did, I didn't venture on any further incitement to patriotic emotions. I tacked on an 'amen' as quickly as possible, and subsided. The rest of the program went through without a hitch."

The Rift in the Lute.

The Hawthorne centenary was not without a discordant note—somebody called attention to the fact that the novelist wrote a wretched campaign biography of Franklin Pierce.—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

An Important Omission.

Two Russian battleships of the Port Arthur squadron have made a record of 20 knots an hour. The dispatch does not state what Japanese admiral was chasing them.—Toronto World.

The Difference.

It is charged that the Republican platform was predigested. There is some danger that the Democratic platform will be indigestible.—Washington Post.

IT IS TO SMILE.

The glutton's heart begins to throb
With summer pleasure dear.
He eateth corn upon the cob,
And smiles from ear to ear.
—Philadelphia Press.

"Will you marry me?" he asked.
"No," she replied.
And they lived happy ever afterward.—Smart Set.

Old Mother Hubbard
She went out and rubbered.
New neighbors were just moving in.
"I'll just take a peep.
My! their furniture's cheap!"
She said, with a satisfied grin
—Chicago Tribune.

"He writes that I am a cad."
"Tell him you will pull his nose."
"I will—where's your telephone?"—Glasgow Times.

"Then you have no sympathy for the deserving poor?" said the charity worker.
"Me?" retorted the self-made man. "Why, sir, I have nothing but sympathy."—Chicago Journal.

Mrs. Waterstock (just back from Europe)—So Blanche Roxton got married at last? I understand it was a very swell wedding?
Mrs. Ritchie—You've been misinformed—why, even the precinct reserves weren't called out!—Puck.

The Death Roll

Horace Bartlet Sailley.

Horace Bartlet Sailley, aged 70, a well known East End policeman and veteran of the civil war, died at his residence, 6651 Rowan avenue, at 1:30 o'clock p. m. yesterday. He had been ill about three weeks and death was due to a complication of diseases. Traceable to wounds received in battles. He leaves a wife and 10 children. Mr. Sailley was born in Bangor, Me., and from there moved to New Florence, Westmoreland county, Pa.; he also lived at Altoona, Pa., and was a railroad conductor on the Pennsylvania railroad. He moved to Pittsburgh 23 years ago and for several years lived in Dallas avenue. Mr. Sailley was an officer at the East Liberty police station 14 years and for some time was cornerman at Penn and Negley avenues. He served three years with the Fourth Maine battery and was with Sherman on his "march to the sea." He was wounded at Gettysburg and at Savannah, was a member of the Union Veteran Legion here and a meraber of John Watts Post, G. A. R., Altoona. He was also a member of the Corpus Christi Roman Catholic church, Lincoln avenue. The survivors are Horace R., Mary M., Thomas A., James I., Charles H., William J., Annie B., Martha F. Francis and George Sailley, children, and Mary Sailley, wife.

Alexander Liddell's Funeral.

Funeral services will be held over the remains of Alexander Liddell at his late home, No. 419 Shetland avenue at 2 o'clock p. m. today. The Rev. Dr. George W. Chalfant will conduct the services and interment will be made in Homewood cemetery. Mr. Liddell was a son of Mrs. Jean H. and the late Andrew T. Liddell. He was a native of Scotland and had been a resident of this city over 20 years. He was a well-known traveling salesman and a member of the Park Avenue Presbyterian church. His mother, three brothers and two sisters survive.

Mrs. Wilhelmina Lappenkors.

Mrs. Wilhelmina Lappenkors, aged 76, widow of Jacob Lappenkors, died yesterday afternoon at the home of her son, Henry Lappenkors, in East Pittsburgh. She and her husband came to Pittsburgh from Germany more than a quarter of a century ago and lived here until their removal to East Pittsburgh 12 years ago. Mrs. Lappenkors was a member of the German Evangelical church, Braddock, and is survived by one son, Henry Lappenkors.

Mrs. Scott Spidell.

Mrs. Lucinda Spidell, aged 53, wife of Scott Spidell and daughter of the late Jacob Sleek of Bedford, Pa., died at her residence, Holland avenue, Wilkinsburg, yesterday morning of pneumonia. Mrs. Spidell was born in Shellsburg, Pa. She was a member of the Bedford Methodist Episcopal church. She is survived by her son, Percy, three daughters, Nellie, Ada and Eva, all of Wilkinsburg.

John C. Ryan.

John C. Ryan, aged 35, died yesterday morning at the East End hospital of typhoid fever. He was born in Freeport, Pa., and removed to this city with his parents when a child. Mr. Ryan was a member of the Park Avenue Presbyterian church, and is survived by his widow and a daughter. Funeral services will be held at his late home, No. 53F Parker avenue, East Liberty, at 2 o'clock p. m. tomorrow.

Obituary Notes.

Mrs. Elizabeth Herman, wife of Henry Herman, died Tuesday at the family home in Union township, Lawrence county, Pa., aged 60 years.

Gen. Joseph H. Lewis, famous as commander of the "Orphan Brigade" in the confederacy, dropped dead yesterday at Frankfort, Ky. He was chief justice of the court of appeals of Kentucky for over 20 years.

James Rice, aged 55, of Harriet street, McKees Rocks, died last evening from a complication of diseases. The body will be shipped to Cumberland, Md., Friday morning for burial. A wife and three children survive.

Julius H. Appleton, former president of the Central New England railway and a well-known paper manufacturer, was stricken with apoplexy while driving to the Union station at Springfield, Mass., yesterday, and died soon afterward.

Mrs. Mildred Hochburg, aged 21, wife of Walter Hochburg, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wilson, in Center yesterday. She was a member of the Plum Creek Presbyterian church, and is survived by her husband and parents.

Miss Hattie Barnes of Clarksburg, W. Va., died of typhoid fever yesterday morning at the residence of S. McKeen, 208 Third street, Sheraden, where she had been visiting. She was aged 21 years. She was the daughter of Richard L. and Emily B. Barnes of Clarksburg, who, with six sisters and three brothers, survive her.

Mrs. Sarah Davidson, wife of William Davidson of North Beaver township, Lawrence county, Pa., died Tuesday night. She is survived by her husband and one daughter and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Gealy of Pittsburgh; Mrs. Thomas of Coraopolis, Pa.; John Gibson of Edinburg, Pa., and Robert and George Gibson of Mt. Jackson, Pa.

John Pickett, one of the oldest, best known and most prominent residents of Washington, Pa., died yesterday morning, aged 78. Mr. Pickett was a native of County Clare, Ireland, moving to Washington in 1852. He engaged in railroad construction work for some time and later in general contracting. He is survived by these children, all of Washington, William,

VERNER IS BACK AND TROUBLE ON

Payroll Men Dread Resumption of Conferences Among Citizens Party Leaders.

ABOUT CONTROL SCHEME

Murry A. Verner returned yesterday from his summer home at Lakewood, N. Y., and it is probable that the conferences of the leaders of the Citizens party will now be resumed. In fact, Mr. Verner held more than one conference yesterday. He first called on Thomas S. Bigelow and in the afternoon went to Mayor Guys' office. Last night he said, however, that he had had no conferences with the city department directors. Mr. Verner said he did not know whether a meeting would be held today.

The recent discharges of city employes living in the Sixteenth ward have begun to worry the men on the payroll, for none of them know that a letter of dismissal may not reach him. It is demoralizing to the municipal service, for the city employes generally believe that the discharges will continue as long as the Citizens party's leaders are bent upon securing control of the Republican county committee, with a view to annexing, eventually, the Republican city organization. Republicans fully expect that the places in the Sixteenth made vacant by the recent dismissals will be offered to the Republican county committeemen in the ward, as patronage. The county committee consists of one representative from each election district in the county.

The gift of places to the municipal service of county committeemen would be made with a view to getting them to "turn in" for the Citizens leaders, that the latter may secure control of the organization and be placed at the head of Republican county affairs during the coming campaign. The Citizens' leaders suppose that the county committee when it learns that some of its members have been won over by the Citizens leaders, will try to eject the traitors, but the Citizens argue that, as the committeemen are elected at a primary election they cannot be deprived of their seats until voted out at the next primary.

Rule 10, section 2 of the rules of the Republican county committee reads:

Whenever it shall appear that any member of the county committee or primary election board has opposed or is about to oppose the Republican party or its candidates, or has neglected or has refused to assist the same, the chairman, first vice chairman and secretary may, upon due proof, after notice to the member charged of a time and place of hearing, remove him from membership in the county committee.

The Citizens profess to believe that the Republican leaders will seek under the rule quoted, to get rid of county committeemen whom they suspect, and they intend to seek to checkmate any such move by going into court to ask for an injunction restraining the committee from so acting. They will assert that as the Citizens organization indorses the Republican ticket, no county committeemen who may happen to favor the Citizens leaders can rightfully be accused of opposing the Republican party. If patronage and promises induce county committeemen to profess loyalty to the Citizens leaders and an injunction can prevent the Republican leaders from getting rid of such committeemen, the Citizens leaders hope eventually to secure control of the committee.

Charles Wehling, a voter, yesterday, through his attorneys, J. Boyd Leaf and T. A. Noble, filed in common pleas court No. 3, objections to an election purporting to be made up on nomination papers of the Independent party of Carrick. Wehling alleges that the papers were signed on Sunday; that not all the signers are qualified voters; that the papers represent no political party, and were signed at a club in Carrick where intoxicating liquors are sold. A hearing will be held today.

ALL DETAILS ARRANGED FOR ORPHANS' PICNIC

Women Who Will Have Charge of Booths Picked Locations at Calhoun.

A number of women representing 21 parishes of the Catholic church, met at Calhoun park yesterday for conference with the Rev. Father N. Lynch and others, to complete arrangements for the location and erection of the parish booths that will be a feature of the two days' Orphans picnic, next Wednesday and Thursday. Hugh Murphy and D. J. Crawford will respectively furnish the lumber and build the booths, each of which will be sheltered.

The chairmen of the parish committees are: Mrs. Mary Kelly, Epiphany; Mrs. James Battle, St. Peter's, Allegheny; Mrs. Barr, St. Agnes'; Mrs. William Ryan, St. Brigid's; Miss. William Sullivan, Holy Cross; Mrs. Lang, St. John's, South Side; Miss Kelly, St. Mary of the Mount, with the chairmen for St. John the Baptist yet to be named.

A representative of the Pittsburgh Railways Company was present and arranged to have special cars at places designated every few minutes to convey whatever materials are desired to the park.

This great annual festival of the orphans is a worthy cause and appeals strongly to every man and woman who has a kindly sympathy for the little ones. A number of philanthropically inclined persons have purchased a number of tickets for distribution among those who might not be able to go otherwise, thus making the purchase subserve the double purpose of helping the asylum fund and making it possible for others to enjoy a day's outing.

The attractions on both picnic days this year will be greater than ever before, and while the purpose is to raise money for a noble charity, it is planned by those having the arrangements in charge to afford to every ticket holder who attends full worth for the money in wholesome amusement and profitable entertainment.

EMBEZZLEMENT IS CHARGED.

Missing Bookkeeper of U. P. Publication Board Is Badly Wanted.

An information, charging George McCullough with embezzlement was made yesterday morning before Alderman Anderson by the Rev. J. D. Sands, who is superintendent of the United Presbyterian board of publication.

McCullough, who was a bookkeeper in the employ of the board, disappeared Thursday night having been sent to the postoffice with $150. Mr. Sands charges him with embezzling this amount and gives no credit to the theory that he met with foul play.

Mrs. McCullough, wife of the missing man, stated at her home, 1905 Poplar street, Allegheny, that she neither believed her husband had met with foul play nor that he was an embezzler, but believed he would return shortly with a good account of himself.

SPECIAL WIND-UP FEATURES.

Last Days of Building Trades Council's Carnival to Be Interesting.

Tomorrow night, weather permitting, the Duquesne Greys will give a drill and sham battle at Wabash park, where the Building Trades council is holding its mid-summer festival and carnival. The sham battle, which was to have been given last Tuesday night was postponed on account of the rain.

The Ferari Bros. Shows United will open their zoo today, permitting any person who enters the park to view the 200 different animals, four of which are hippos. In the zoo are 50 trained lions and tigers which do marvelous tricks at the command of their trainers.

There are only three more days of the carnival, and to make them a grand finale to the fair the committee has arranged several free attractions.

Answer Brought Heavy Fine.

When asked by Magistrate Thomas D. Stewart, at Central station, how he made his living, Harry Ward of Allegheny replied, "Fine power," and without waiting to hear further testimony Stewart fined him $50 and costs. Ward was given a hearing yesterday on a charge of larceny made by A. Bishop of West Liberty. It was alleged Ward had a trick knife and that while Bishop was trying to open it Ward took $35 from him.

BUSY SEASON FOR COUNCILS BEGINS

Finance Committee Meets Today to Approve Transfer of $15,000 for Bond Election.

TWO SESSIONS NEXT WEEK

A special meeting of the finance committee of councils has been called for this afternoon to approve the resolution transferring $15,000 from the fire bureau appropriation to pay the expenses of holding the bond election on next Tuesday. A special meeting of both branches of councils will be held next Monday to adopt the resolution and to have it signed by the mayor.

There will also be another special meeting of common council next week, on Thursday or Friday, to receive the ordinances authorizing the letting of contracts for the construction of the filtration plant and the removal of the dump, which will be introduced at that time. The ordinances will be referred to the finance committee, which will meet promptly and report them back to councils with an affirmative recommendation. Then another meeting of common council will be called for the following Monday to pass the ordinances.

It is expected that two meetings of common council and one of select will be sufficient to pass these ordinances. The 24 ordinances for the regrading of the streets and alleys in the dump district are also to be passed at the same time as the contract ordinances.

The administration is working industriously but very quietly to have the bond issues approved by the people on next Tuesday. In this election the city payroll will take a prominent part. While there is no open or organized opposition to the bond issues, reports have been received from various quarters of the city that there is a sentiment against them. The administration, however, is confident that they will go through by a good majority.

B. Y. P. U. AT DETROIT.

Eight Thousand Delegates Expected to Attend the Annual Meeting Beginning Today.

DETROIT, July 6.—Although the 14th international convention of the Baptist Young People's Union of America does not open until tomorrow morning, hundreds of delegates have arrived and joined tonight in the introductory gospel service that was held in Light Guard armory. The convention chorus of 600 voices led the singing and the Rev. A. C. Dixon of Boston preached an evangelistic sermon.

Between 8,000 and 10,000 delegates are expected to attend the convention. The opening session will be called to order in Light Guard armory at 9:15 o'clock tomorrow morning, by John H. Chapman of Chicago, president of the Baptist Young People's union.

Buffalo, N. Y., July 6.—The state Christian Endeavor convention, in session here, has received the following telegram addressed to Director Clements:

I believe in the work of the Christian Endeavor unions and am always glad to send greetings to their convention, but it is an especial pleasure to send through you to the Endeavorers of my native state, hearty good wishes. Sincerely yours,

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

RIVER PIRATES AT WORK.

Discovered by a Lone Fisherman, They Make Their Escape.

Chief of Police Rotzsch of McKeesport was notified yesterday that an attempt had been made by river pirates at Dravosburg early yesterday morning to cut loose a large fleet of coal barges at the Risher tipple. The attempt was witnessed by a McKeesporter who was fishing above the Dravosburg bridge and a watchman was notified.

Two men approached the fleet in a skiff without at first noticing the lone fisherman. They boarded one of the barges and with an ax severed the ropes that bound them together. While they were at the work they saw the McKeesporter, who was making preparations to call the watchman. After cutting several of the cables the men jumped into their boat and got away, landing a short distance below.

PRIESTS AFTER EDITORS.

Publishers of Croatia Under Arrest on a Charge of Criminal Libel.

Another chapter of the troubles surrounding the Rev. Bozidjko Bekavacc, rector of the St. Nicholas Croatian Roman Catholic church, East Ohio street, Allegheny, was begun yesterday in the entering of informations by the rector and the Rev. Father Kajic of Johnstown, Pa., against G. Skrivanic and Frank Sepic before Alderman Kirby, charging them with criminal libel.

Skrivanic and Sepic are the editors of a paper published at 842 East Ohio street and known as the Croatia. The clergymen allege that articles derogatory to their character were published in the paper. The editors were arrested yesterday afternoon and each furnished a bond of $300 for a hearing to be held this afternoon before Alderman Kirby.

M'KEESPORT MAN LOOKING INTO DEATH OF AN ECCENTRIC

William Pottinger of Fifth avenue, East McKeesport, yesterday went to East Liverpool to learn particulars of the death of William Pottinger, 58 years old, who is said to have died alone in a log cabin at Chester, W. Va. Mr. Pottinger believes the deceased is his father, as the latter has been near that place for some time and was known to be very eccentric.

Painters Fall Fifty Feet.

Joseph Barker of 417 Arch street, Pittsburgh, and George H. Bruce of East McKeesport are believed to be dying at the McKeesport hospital as a result of falling from the top of the Walnut street school building in McKeesport yesterday. The men were painting the walls of the school and had rigged up a scaffold which swung from the roof. They had barely started to work when the scaffold broke in the center and precipitated them 50 feet to the pavement.

Woman Prostrated by Heat.

While securing mail from a box in the McKeesport postoffice yesterday, Mrs. E. E. Nelson of that city was overcome by the heat. The office was crowded at the time and the unconscious woman was carried into the postmaster's room and given attention.

Were Given a Paint Bath.

Passengers on a citybound Crafton traction car were given a paint bath in a small panic caused by the car jumping the track near Ingram yesterday morning. When the passengers rushed out of the car three buckets were overturned.

Nervous?

Easily discouraged? Things look dark? Can't sleep well? Restless and worn out? "Nervous exhaustion," your doctor says. Ask him if he knows of a better nerve-tonic than Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Sixty years of success. $1.00. All druggists.

One great cause of nervousness is constipation. Impurities that should be removed from the system are absorbed into it. One of Ayer's Pills each night, just one, will keep the liver and bowels in a healthy condition.

25 cents. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

MYSTIC SHRINERS TO VISIT SHORE

Delegates from Ninety-One Temples Will Be in Atlantic City Next Week.

TWO BIG PARADES PROMISED

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU, YOUNG'S OCEAN PIER, ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 6.

Probably the largest convention ever to meet in Atlantic City will be that of the ancient Arabic order, Knights of the Mystic Shrine, which convenes in this city next week. It is estimated by the local committee in charge that there will be at least 10,000 persons in the city from all parts of the country.

On Wednesday the annual session of the imperial council will open for a two days' meeting. On Friday night of this week the local reception and entertainment committees will hold a meeting to perfect plans and complete arrangements for the entertainment of the delegates. Two big parades will take place, one on Wednesday morning and a full-dress parade Wednesday evening.

There will be delegates from 91 temples present. The meetings will be held on Young's pier.

M. L. and Charles F. Clarke are spending the week at the Thirion.

Al Altamont Craig Hall are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schussler, Henry M. Schussler and F. W. Schussler.

J. W. Stoner is spending a few days at the Stratton.

D. J. Devlin is a guest at the Avon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robbins are guests for a short time at the Robbins.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Harrold, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Martin and W. H. Krater are late arrivals at the Beaumont.

At the Grand Atlantic are Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Harrison and D. D. Sullivan.

Richard A. Cleeman is staying at the Dennis.

Mrs. W. C. Shreiner is spending a fortnight at the St. Charles.

H. W. Believille is a guest at the Pierrepont.

Mrs. James W. Marshall and Miss Marshall are at the Cadsby.

Mrs. A. M. Blose and Mrs. W. F. Stolzenbach are at the Little Queen.

Miss Grace Solomon and Miss Elsie S. Solomon are at the Islesworth.

T. H. Collins is an arrival at the Brevoort.

Among the Pittsburghers noticed on the boardwalk today were Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Devoe, J. H. Stacy and Miss L. S. Ryan.

W. C. LITTLE.

Newell Institute Alumni.

An alumni association of the old students of Newell institute is being formed. A temporary committee on organization has issued a call for a meeting to be held tomorrow night in the rooms of the Manufacturers' association, 902 Lewis block. The enrollment exceeds 150 and there are many persons eligible for membership whose addresses are not known. A general invitation has been extended to all who attended the male department of the institution. The young women who formerly attended the school probably will form an independent organization.

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HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS

DIED.

ALDERSON—On Tuesday, July 5, 1904, at 2:15 p. m., at her residence, No. 23 Jumilla street, ELIZA PATCH, relict of William Alderson, in her 64th year.

Funeral on Friday morning at 8:30 o'clock, services at St. Richard's church, Webster avenue, at 9 o'clock.

CURTIS—On Wednesday, July 6, 1904, at 12 o'clock noon, JOHN W. CURTIS.

Funeral services at the residence of his father, W. K. Curtis, 208 West Stockton avenue, Allegheny, this evening at 8 o'clock. Interment on Friday morning at Emlenton, Pa.

(Sistersville (W. Va.) papers please copy.)

DIXON—On Wednesday, July 6, 1904, at 2 p. m., PETER DIXON, beloved husband of Mary Dixon (nee McGinness).

Funeral from his late residence, 625 Frazier street, Allegheny, Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Requiem high mass at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family and members of St. Peter's Beneficial society 188, L. C. B. U., and Bricklayers' International union No. 4 are respectfully invited to attend.

(Akron (O.) papers please copy.)

HOCHBERG—On Wednesday, July 6, 1904, at 1:30 p. m. at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wilson, Center, Allegheny county, Pa., MRS. MILDRED HOCHBERG, wife of Walter Hochberg, in her 21st year.

Funeral services will be held at Plum Creek church, near New Texas, Pa., on Friday, July 8, 1904, at 11 o'clock a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Carriages will leave T. D. Turner's, 720 Penn avenue, Wilkinsburg, at 7 a. m.

KEMMER—On Tuesday, July 5, 1904, ADAM KEMMER, in his 62d year.

Funeral from the residence of his nephew, William Hetsel, No. 214 Voegtly street, Allegheny this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family, Post No. 162, G. A. R., No. 1, U. V. L., Ladies' O. H. Rippey Circle No. 21, Camp 38, Sons of Veterans, and the Boys' brigade of the Tenth U. P. church are respectfully invited to attend.

LIDDELL—On Monday, July 4, 1904, at 11:20 p. m., ALEXANDER, eldest son of Jean H. and the late Andrew T. Liddell.

Funeral services at the family residence, 419 Shetland street, East End, this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

MARION—On Tuesday, July 5, 1904, at 8:15 p. m., MRS. AGNES MARION, in her 83rd year.

Funeral services on Thursday, July 7, at 2 p. m., at her late residence, 1326 Fayette street, Allegheny. Interment private.

MCKEE—On Tuesday, July 5, 1904, at 7 a. m., JOHN CHARLES, son of Charles J. and Mamie McKee (nee Wilker), aged 4 years 1 month 8 days.

Funeral services at the McKee homestead, Moon township, Beaver county, Pa., on Thursday at 1 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

O'NEIL—On Tuesday, July 5, 1904, at 1:30 p. m., at his residence in Ohio township, JAMES O'NEIL, aged 69 years.

Requiem high mass at Sacred Heart church, Emsworth, today at 10 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

RYAN—On Wednesday, July 6, 1904, at 1 a. m., JOHN C. RYAN, in his 53d year.

Funeral services at his late residence, No. 521 Parker avenue, East End, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

SPIDELL—At Wilkinsburg, Pa., on Wednesday, July 6, 1904, at 9 a. m., LUCINDA K., wife of Scott Spidell, in her 53d year.

Funeral services at her late residence, 832 Holland avenue, on Friday, July 8, 1904, at 2 p. m. Interment at Woodland cemetery. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

(Redford county papers please copy.)

WRIGHT—At her home, Elizabeth, Pa., at 8 p. m., Monday, July 4, 1904, MISS SARAH J. WRIGHT.

Funeral services at the home, Thursday, July 7, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private at a later hour.

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THE SALESWOMAN AND THE WORKING GIRL.

Compelled to Be on Her Feet the Larger Part of the Day Finds a Tonic in Pe-ru-na.

Miss Curtain, of St. Paul, Gives Her Experience.

MISS NELLIE CURTAIN, 636 Pearl street, St. Paul, Minn., head saleswoman in a department store, writes:

"I have charge of a department in a dry goods store, and after standing the larger part of the day, I would go home with a dull ache, generally through my entire body. I used Peruna and feel so much better that I walk to and from the store now. I know Peruna to be the best medicine on the market for the diseases peculiar to women."—Miss Nellie Curtain.

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Shelf, case and box emptying upstairs and down.

Effort and willingness has much to do with anything that's to be successful.

Effort, and a more determined effort than we ever made to empty shelves is being exerted now.

Willing to accept bigger losses as every department in the house is to be sold down lower than any July in 35 years.

Prices prove we're taking losses to do it.

Big lot good double fold all White Corded Stripe Dimities—five different styles stripes, 7½c.

One case—50 pieces—20c all White narrow Leno Stripe welt P. K.'s—pretty and good, 12½c.

B. & B.
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More astonishing things being done.

Today you'll get choice from a collection of $10.00 to $20.00 hand made Hats for $3.50

If ever there was a time when this store was determined to clean up its stocks, it's now, and none gets such relentless treatment as Millinery.

Trimmed ready to wear Hats at 50c, $1.00, $1.50 and $2.50 that are almost thrown away.

All our own fine models, as well as those from New York and Paris, values as high as $45.00, all at two prices $5.00 and $10.00

Three prices on fine Feathers that were 35c to $3.50—10, 25 and 50c

Flowers at 5, 10, 15c and 25c that were 15c to $4.00.

Note, please, that this Emptying Sale does not interfere in any way with new things, as we get them and show complete variety of new ideas and models quick as they come out.

Attention now directed to some charming things for going away at a price range from $5.00 to $15.00.

B. & B.
CORSET COVERS

and other Undermuslins clearance priced in a manner you'll appreciate and do what we want done—empty the shelves.

Lace and Embroidery trimmed Dollar Corset Covers, 50c

75 cent ones, 35c

50 cent ones, 25c

Fine $3.00 Cambric Petticoats with 20-inch tucked flounce finished with handsome embroidery ruffle — embroidery dust ruffle, $2.00

—a Dollar off such merchandise means something.

Two handsome styles $4.50 Cambric Petticoats with deep circular lawn flounce—three rows wide Lace Insertion and Deep Lace edge—Lace trimmed dust ruffle, $3.00

These items only to show the tendency in that section—lots of others that we'll tell about later unless they all go so quick we won't get the chance.

B. & B.
RIBBON DEPARTMENT

Vigorously shelf emptying and case and counter clearing.

5 inch Plaid Ribbons for misses' hair, 15c—were 25 and 30c.

15c Black Metallique finish Taffetas—3 inches wide, 10c

Pretty 4 inch Warp Print Ribbons, 12½c for 25c values.

35, 50, 60c and $1.00 Ribbons—odd shades and lines, at one price, 25c

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OXFORD SHOES, $2.00

Shelf Emptying lot that any woman who can get her size—most everybody can—will find it a great opportunity.

$2.50 to $3.50 Vici Kid and Patent Colt Oxfords, $2.00

Tan Oxfords, $2.50 to $5.00.

Tan Oxfords, $3.00, that we'd like you to see side by side with any you've bought before at $3.50 or $4.00.

Champagne Oxfords, $3.50 and $5.00.

Get the Children's Shoes here and save something doing it.

Men who come once come always—we carry the latest, smartest and best in lasts and leathers and sell them so you can see you do better or save something.

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RUBBER GLOVES, 50c

Kind that women want for housework and usually pay a Dollar for.

You know that greyish dust that's always on new rubber, and comes off as soon as put in water?

Well, they didn't get it on evenly when finishing these Gloves—that's why they're only 50c.

The fabric is as sound as ever—no holes or other objectionable imperfections.

This is the second and last lot.

If you ever wash dishes or dust or pare vegetables, or do any other household or kitchen work or gardening, these will keep your hands from getting stained or otherwise discolored or roughened.

B. & B.
ART DEPARTMENT

No more vigorous shelf emptying to be done anywhere than in that section.

Lot of 50c to $1.25 Fancy Satin Pincushions, trimmed with lace or hand painted, 25c

Natural color Linen 18c Doylies, 12 by 12 inches, tinted ready for embroidery, 5c

Assorted lot 25c stamped and tinted Table Centers, ready for working, 10c

Stamped and tinted 50 and 65c Natural Linen Table Covers, 25c

Large variety of fancy work materials and articles of all kinds so priced as will pay you to get here, and make a sweep of this class of goods as never known in the history of the business.

Department under new management, and it's being house cleaned.

B. & B.
CLOTHING IN IT

Prices cut on odd lines so deep in comparison with the merits of the Clothing as furnishes men a chance that is a chance.

$25.00 Suits, $18.50—$20.00 ones, $15.00—$15.00 ones, $10.00.

You know if we had a lot of junk we could name any old kind of prices and reductions, but this is reputable Clothing.

Young Men's 10 and $12.00 Norfolk Outing Suits, $7.50

15 and $18.50 ones, $10.00.

Men's Wash Vests that were $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, for $1.50

$3.50, $4.00 and $5.00 ones, $2.50

Boys' $2.00 to $3.00 Wash Russian Blouse Suits, $1.50.

Boys' Norfolk Single and Double Breasted Knee Pants Suits and Sailor Blouse, Russian Blouse and Eton Sailors—fancy mixtures and plain Blue and Brown Serges and Cheviots that were Five Dollars, for $3.50—$7.50 and $8.50 ones, $5.00—$10.00 ones, $7.50

B. & B.
$1.50 SHIRTS, $1.00

Men get the benefit of Shelf Emptying on first-class goods—the odd quantities of many lines—Star and other fine makes.

Three Shirts for the price of two is an inducement to be considered, especially when they're such nice Shirts—all sizes.

Don't see why the Shirt man thinks it necessary to clear out these lines, as long as there's nothing the matter with them.

If you wear a 15 you don't care whether there's a 14½ and a 16 to match it or not—do you?

He does, and that's where you get the best of it—Dollar fifty Shirts for $1.00

There's some Shelf Emptying lots of Underwear, and some lines of Neckwear in the Shelf Emptying Sale priced to pay you to see.

BOGGS & BUHL, Allegheny.

B. & B.
SILVER SALE

Closing out odd lots C. Rodgers & Bro. Triple Plate Silver Ware for less than half prices.

$5.00 triple plate Dessert Spoons and Forks, $2.25—$6.00 Table Spoons and Forks, $2.75—shell patterns.

$6.00 regent pattern triple plate Dessert Spoons and Forks, $2.75

$7.00 Table Forks, $3.00

Odd pieces of Berry Spoons, Cream Ladles and Sugar Shells, half price—75c pieces, 38c—$1.25 ones, 63c—$1.75 ones, 88c

25c fancy Sterling Silver Shoe Horns, Letter Seals, Cuticle Knives and Ink Erasers, 15c

50c Sterling Novelties, 25c—bright and French Grey finish.

25c Oxidized and Gilt Belt Buckles, 10c.

15c Neck Brooches, 5c—25c ones, 10c

50c rolled plate hard enameled Cuff Buttons, 25c

B. & B.
NEW TRAINS

Intersuburban Passenger Service on the P. R. R. between Pitcairn and Beaver Falls—4 trains each way daily—affords opportunity to come direct by train to this store to shop.

The best train to come on to shop from Pitcairn and intermediate points leaves Pitcairn 2:18, Braddock 2:29, Wilkinsburg 2:40, East Liberty 2:48, stopping at Wilmerding, Turtle Creek, East Pittsburg, Bessemer, Braddock, Copeland, Hawkins, Swissvale, Edgewood, Wilkinsburg, Brushton, Homewood, Fifth Avenue, East Liberty, Roup, Shadyside, Ben Venue, Lawrenceville, Twenty-eighth St. and arrive in Allegheny without change at 3:10.

Returning leave Allegheny 5:27—arrive East Liberty 5:53, Wilkinsburg 6:02, Braddock 6:12, Pitcairn 6:27, stopping at all intermediate points.

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WILLIAMS SCOLDS REPUBLICAN PARTY

Opens the Democratic National Convention With a Tirade Against Roosevelt.

MAKES DEMOCRATIC PROMISES

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, MO., July 6.—In opening the Democratic national convention, John Sharp Williams, congressman from Mississippi, the temporary chairman, said:

"The most important quadrennial event in the world in the history of the American people of their chief executive. Before the great elevation takes place, at which all men are supposed to arrive at a choice by ways of honesty and intelligence—while to God they leave the two minor elections of a different character are held. There have always been two great parties who, since the first national political conventions, have elected delegates to conventions for the purpose of selecting a candidate and promulgating a platform. One of these parties has gone through its party election of delegates, has selected a candidate, and has framed a platform. It was one of the quietest and "most unanimous" occasions that the muses of history have recorded. Everything seems to have been fixed beforehand.

The address of the temporary chairman of the Republican national convention was, in one sense, historical. It dealt in history, at any rate, most of it ancient history, and a great deal of it bad history. There was a deal of it bad history, and a great deal of labored argument to prove that the party of Roosevelt must, by something like evolutionary process, act as the party of Lincoln and McKinley. This was necessary, in order to disguise the palpable fact that it is not so doing. Not without reason, then, this ingenious argument by this great and ingenious lawyer. It was to draw away attention from Roosevelt—its volcanic eruptive force—its chance to live by and upon the fact that, at some period of its history, the Republican party has been "a party which did things," and did them safely.

The orator hoped that the country lose sight of the fact that it is now in both of its legislative branches a party of passivity, of non-action, of obstruction to reform and progress—in a word, of the party of the veto. Upon the shibboleth which maketh them known, one of them to the other, a shibboleth drawn from the gambler's tables—"Stand pat," a precept born of cowardice and fear to move.

Has Heard About Tariff.

"I have never heard that Secretary Root has denied the soft impeachment of President Roosevelt, that he, Root, is the greatest man in public life in the country."

"Praise, indeed? Yes, and what praise in return could be adequate in repayment? In this wonderful Mutual Admiration Society of "you scratch my back and I'll scratch yours" is the return rhapsody of Mr. Root's peroration at all extravagant—considered from the standpoint of repayment, of course. In October, 1902, Mr. Root made a political speech in Cooper Union, New York, in which he used this language: "If a tariff law has on the whole worked well, and if business has prospered under it and is prospering, it is better to endure some slight inconveniences and inequalities for a time than to incur the uncertainty and disturbance of business which necessarily results from the process of making changes. The mere fact that a different rate of duty would be better than the rate fixed in the statute does not settle the question whether the change should be made now or should be deferred. Every tariff deals with duties on a vast number of articles, and involves a vast number of interests often conflicting, and whenever the law is taken by congress for consideration with reference to one change every schedule in that law is going to find someone urging a change in that schedule, and all the business interests of the country are going to be disturbed during a long-continued discussion, in a state of uncertainty as to what will be the outcome of duties upon the things they are producing and, therefore, in uncertainty as to what competition from abroad they will be obliged to meet."

And I have heard that the president in his political tour through the west in the spring of 1903 made a speech in which he used this language: "If a tariff law has on the whole worked well, and if business has prospered under it and is prospering, it may be better to endure some inconveniences and inequalities for a time than by making changes to risk causing a disturbance and perhaps paralysis in the industries and business of the country."

"The fact that the change in a given rate of duty may be thought desirable does not settle the question whether it is advisable to make the change immediately. Every tariff deals with duties on thousands of articles arranged in hundreds of schedules and in many schedules. These duties affect a vast number of interests which are often conflicting. If necessary for our welfare, then, of course, congress must consider the question of changing the law as a whole or changing any given rate of duty, but we must remember that whenever even a single schedule is considered some interests will appear to demand a change in almost every schedule in the law, and when it comes to upsetting the schedules generally the effect upon the country will be ruinous."

Verily: "Two souls with but a single thought. Two speeches that read like one." And that single thought so harmoniously expressed is not to force a single special interest to take the lips from the public breast for fear the public finding them unnecessary, might shake them all off. How humorous to praise so highly our fellow-citizen in the White House, who in the long line of great men who have filled the seat he now occupies has himself found only about three in his opinion worthy of anything like unstinted praise—George Washington, Abraham Lincoln and himself; verily the other Rooseveltian "I" have no room for business. The chief of these is Mr. Root. The temporary chairman said, speaking of the Republican party, "Through it more than any other party the moral sentiment of the American people finds expression."

Going back to ancient history, is it in the Credit Mobilier-Ames scandal? In the whiskey ring? In the looting of the treasury by star route construction? Where? Or in recent history? In the postoffice department? In the public lands bureau? In the full sway of bosses, formerly cursed so bitterly and now taken so fondly to the bosom of the president? In the celebrated order of "Hell-Roaring Jake" Smith, prescribing 10 years as the age above which children were to be killed in one of the islands of the Philippines? In our wholly unwarranted honeycombing of our national life with the corruption of legislation-bought special provisions? What has ancient history to do with present iniquities? Mr. Root says offenses have been relentlessly prosecuted and sternly punished.

What Democrats Will Not Do.

But enough about the other party. Some things about ourselves—on thing the country can rely upon, the Democracy will not nominate for president a man trained in the ways of the Constitution, who will not usurp legislative or judicial functions; who will not recklessly violate international usages, who will not keep people guessing about what he is going to do or say next; it will nominate him upon a platform ignoring dead issues and dealing with every present live issue in tones certain and unfaltering; one of rigid economy of administration, an enforcement of honesty in the public service, a wise and businesslike revision of the tariff by the friends of the masses and of the commonwealth, and not by the friends of the trusts and favored industries alone, a reduction which shall aim at "equality of burdens and equality of opportunities," and whose ultimate object shall be to raise a revenue by taxation only upon the federal government in virility, but in simplicity. It will not falter when it comes to declaring for a reduction of tariff taxation on trust produced articles to the point where foreign competition may enter the American market, whenever combines, seeking monopoly, raise their prices to the point of extortion, nor will it falter in declaring for reduction when American consumers habitually charge American consumers higher prices than those charged foreigners for identical articles. It will come out flatfooted for amicable rather than retaliatory treaties with all other nations of the world, and especially for generous reciprocity with Canada. It will denounce the needless and reckless utterances of the last message of the Republican president, in his letter to ex-Secretary Root upon the second anniversary of Cuban independence.

We will announce unmistakably to the world and to the nations of Europe that we will not make of the army and navy of the United States a comic-opera toy for the collection of their debts from the governments of peoples of South and Central America.

Makes Some Promises.

A Democratic administration will find in our treatment of Cuba an example of American courage, justice and magnanimity to be imitated as soon as it can be wisely and safely done in the Philippines, ultimately leaving them, and giving them the promise now, that to that time free and independent. The Democracy, in my opinion, believes that the white man will have troubles enough to maintain in its full integrity the white man's civilization in all parts of his own country. A Democratic president, such as whom we shall nominate, will devote himself to the faithful execution of the laws of the United States as they were written, without enactive construction or usurpation. It will bring about the upbuilding of a merchant marine, and bring it about without new or additional taxation upon the people and without bounties from the public treasury, simply by a recurrence of those laws which were in force when we had a merchant marine of which every American citizen was proud. Under a Democratic administration the rights of labor will be recognized as no less "vested," no less "sacred," no less "inalienable" than the rights of capital, and both will be dealt with justly and impartially, according to their very rights. The Democratic party will not hypocritically pretend to sympathize with those who desire and with those who would not by all lawful and constitutional means prevent the Africanization or Mongolization of any state or community within the bounds of the American republic. The Democracy, when intrusted with power will construct the Panama canal speedily, honestly and economically.

Above all, and by conclusion, a good Democratic administration will pontify and practice the simple precepts of Jefferson's first inaugural address. It is the political sermon on the mount for Republicans.

Gentlemen, it is in the power of no man or party to assure success. It is in the power of the humblest to deserve it. God grant that we may have it. Let us by the character of our platform and the character of our candidate deserve it. Let us erect a standard to which all good men may repair.

COMMITTEES CHOSEN BY THE DEMOCRATS

New National Organization is Formed—Those Who Will Frame Platform.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, July 6.—The following is the new Democratic National committee:

Alabama, H. D. Clayton; Arkansas, William H. Martin; California, M. F. Tarpey; Colorado, John I. Mullins; Connecticut, Homer S. Cummings; Delaware, Richard R. Kenney; Florida, Jefferson B. Browne; Georgia, Clark Howell; Idaho, Simon Reed; Illinois, Roger C. Sullivan; Indiana, Thomas Taggart; Iowa, Charles A. Walsh; Kansas, John H. Atwood; Kentucky, Urey Woolson; Louisiana, N. C. Blanchard; Maryland, L. Victor Baughman; Massachusetts, William F. Gaston; Michigan, Edward J. Campau; Minnesota, T. T. Hudson; Mississippi, C. H. Williams; Missouri, William A. Rothwell; Montana, C. W. Hoffman; Nebraska, James E. Dahlman; Nevada, John R. Dennett; New Hampshire, T. L. Norris; New Jersey, William B. Gourley; New York, Norman E. Mack; North Carolina, Josephus Daniels; North Dakota, E. D. Allert; Ohio, John R. McLean; Pennsylvania, William M. Guffey; Rhode Island, George H. Green; South Carolina, B. R. Tillman; South Dakota, E. S. Johnson; Tennessee, R. E. L. Mountcastle; Texas, R. M. Johnston; Utah, D. H. Perry; Vermont, Ed. D. Smith; Virginia, Thomas Walker Swan; Washington, John T. McGraw; Wisconsin, T. E. Ryan; Wyoming, John E. Osborne; Alaska, Arthur H. Dapan; Arizona, Benjamin M. Crawford; District of Columbia, Josiah L. Norris; Indian territory, Frank Williams; New Mexico, H. H. Fergusson; Oklahoma, R. A. Billup; Hawaii, Palmer P. Woods.

The committee on resolutions is made up as follows:

Alabama, Rufus N. Rhodes; Arkansas, J. P. Clarke; California, D. L. Delmas; Colorado, Charles S. Thomas; Connecticut, Bryan F. Mahan; Delaware, Willard Saulsbury; Florida, C. L. Wilson; Georgia, J. W. Maddox; Idaho, Fred T. Tibbolt; Illinois, John P. Hopkins; Indiana, B. F. Shively; Iowa, J. F. Weaver; Kansas, A. M. Jackson; Kentucky, J. C. W. Beckham; Louisiana, M. J. Foster; Maryland, J. Poe; Massachusetts, Judge R. Grosvenor; Michigan, Edgar Weeks Ellsworth; Minnesota, C. E. Vesley; Mississippi, John Sharp Williams; Missouri, John T. Hurd; Montana, Martin Maginnis; Nebraska, William J. Bryan; Nevada, Francis G. Newlands; New Hampshire, Alva A. Clark; New York, David B. Hill; North Carolina, Edward Chambers Smith; North Dakota, Silver Serumgard; Ohio, John A. Middleton; Oregon, W. F. Butcher; Pennsylvania, R. E. Pattison; Rhode Island, George N. Green; South Carolina, B. R. Tillman; South Dakota, R. F. Pettigrew; Tennessee, Edward W. Carmack; Texas, Joseph W. Bailey; Utah, Frank G. Cannon; Vermont, Elisha May; Virginia, John W. Daniel; Washington, M. M. Godman; West Virginia, Henry G. Davis; Wisconsin, T. J. Fleming; Wyoming, David N. Blickey; Alaska, W. E. Crews; Arizona, W. F. Timmins; District of Columbia, James L. Norris; Indian territory, T. L. Wade; New Mexico, James G. Fitch; Oklahoma, Roy E. Stafford; Hawaii, James L. Cole.

CARACAS TO BECOME SECOND MONTE CARLO

CARACAS, July 6.—A large casino, of the same class as that at Monte Carlo, is to be built at Caracas by the former proprietors of the Ostend, Belgium, casino. A hotel and race track will be constructed by the same company. The concessionaires will pay $60,000 a year for the monopoly and that sum will be expended in a sewerage system for Caracas.

NEWS OF THE NEARBY TOWNS AND COUNTRY

TWO BOYS ARE DROWNED BY UPSETTING OF RAFT

Little Sister of One of Victims Ran for Help, but Too Late.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

BRADFORD, PA., July 6.—Charles Rasor, aged 10, and George White, aged 9, were drowned this afternoon while at play.

The little fellows were playing with a raft at the old reservoir on the hillside, near South avenue. The lads had floated the raft out into the water and were riding about where the depth was 10 feet. In some manner the raft was upset and the children were thrown from it, sinking at once. A small sister of Charles Rasor saw the accident and ran screaming for help. Men came at once and began a search for the bodies. They were soon brought to the surface. The drowned boys were sons of George Rasor of 50 Clarence street, and Thomas White of 250 South avenue.

CONFEREES TO MEET.

State Senatorial Nominee to Be Chosen Tomorrow for Forty-First District.

BUTLER, PA., July 6.—(Special.)—State Senator Andrew G. Williams and a large delegation of Republicans of Butler county will go to Kittanning Thursday morning to meet with the Hon. George W. McNees and his conferees in an effort to nominate a Republican candidate for state senator from the Forty-first district, composed of Butler and Armstrong counties. Senator Williams hopes to succeed himself.

WOOSTER, O., July 6.—(Special.)—Wayne county delegates to the Republican convention to meet in Coshocton July 12 to nominate a candidate for circuit judge of the Fifth judicial district will present the name of Judge Frank Taggart of Wooster.

MERCER, PA., July 6.—(Special.)—The Democratic county committee met today to elect a county chairman. James W. Sheakley of Greenville was chosen chairman without opposition.

Confesses to Stealing Horses.

WASHINGTON, PA., July 6.—(Special.)—John Stahl of Washington today acknowledged that he had stolen three horses from Washington county men. He took three from local stables, drove two in a stolen rig and led the third horse. He was captured in West Virginia after he had disposed of the horses and rig. He was today arraigned before Justice of the Peace Magill and was bound over to await the action of the grand jury.

Two Water Tanks Collapse.

LATROBE, PA., July 6.—(Special.)—This morning the two big water tanks at the Pandora mines of the Loyalhanna Coal and Coke Company's works collapsed. The tanks were elevated on heavy trestles. Both were completely wrecked. Considerable mystery surrounds the matter. The plant was unable to start this morning, owing to having no water for the boilers. The loss will be heavy.

Plants Resume Work.

NEW CASTLE, PA., July 6.—(Special.)—The Shenango Valley steel plant, 1,000 men, and the Greer tin plant, 1,000 men, both resumed work last night. The Pennsylvania engineering plant, employing 600 men, will resume operations in 10 days.

Negro Murderer Given Respite.

MOUNDSVILLE, W. VA., July 6.—(Special.)—James Halgrove, the negro murderer of Joe Murdock, also colored, of Grafton, will not hang here on Friday, as he has been respited.

SIX MINERS INJURED BY A CAGE FALLING

One of Them Expected to Die of Accident in Mine at Ellsworth, Pa.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, PA., July 6.—By the falling of a cage in shaft No. 4 of the Ellsworth Coal Company at Ellsworth six Russian miners were badly injured. One, Michael Serokoff, will die. The names of the others could not be obtained tonight. The accident was caused by a brake on a hoisting engine failing to work.

The engineer was lowering the cage with the six miners into a 200-foot shaft. After the cage had dropped about 100 feet the engineer attempted to slow up. The brake slipped and before the engine could be gotten under control the cage dropped 150 feet to the bottom. The men were thrown in a heap and Serokoff was struck by the cage when it fell a 200-foot shaft. After the cage had dropped about 100 feet the engineer attempted to slow up. The brake slipped and before the engine could be gotten under control the cage dropped 150 feet to the bottom. The men were thrown in a heap and Serokoff was struck by the cage when it fell a 200-foot shaft. He was terribly crushed and injured internally. With two others, he was taken out unconscious. It is thought the other men will recover.

People Struck by Lightning.

OIL CITY, PA., July 6.—(Special.)—During an electrical storm today several people were struck by lightning and considerable property was damaged. Frank Mallatte and family were driving when lightning struck a pole nearby. Both Mallette's arms were paralyzed and his family severely shocked. The horse was knocked down and the harness stripped off of it. Mrs. Jolly, living near Salina, was rendered unconscious by a bolt that followed a pipe into the house.

Want Pittsburgher's Estate for Poor.

UNIONTOWN, PA., July 6.—(Special.)—A petition of the borough of Brownsville for an order to sell certain real estate has been prescribed to the court. It sets forth that John L. Rhoads, late of Allegheny county, deceased, by his will left the property to certain of his relatives and they are now all dead, and the will provides that in this case the property shall go as a permanent fund for the worthy poor of Brownsville.

Pittsburgh Company Incorporated.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., July 6.—(Special.)—The McCutcheon Manufacturing Company of Pittsburgh has been incorporated here with a capital stock of $100,000. The incorporators are C. K. McCutcheon, P. Routh, John A. Felker, of Munnall, Pa.; T. H. Speigelmire of McClure, Pa., and Richard Groose of Salem, Ohio.

Boy Accidentally Killed by Brother.

WARREN, O., July 6.—(Special.)—Charles Shaffer, aged 11, and Robert Shaffer, aged 15, brothers, were shooting at a mark this afternoon with a revolver. The weapon went off accidentally while Robert was handling it. The ball struck Charles, killing him instantly.

Plans Prepared for New Hotel.

UNIONTOWN, PA., July 6.—(Special.)—Plans have been prepared for a new hotel here to cost $71,000. It will be owned and operated by R. F. Sampoe, formerly of the West End hotel, and Ewing Marshall.

Found Dead in Orchard.

NEW FLORENCE, PA., July 6.—(Special.)—James Crawford, aged 60, a former resident of this place, was found dead in an orchard in Fallowfield township on Monday.

Steel Workers Strike.

DUBOIS, PA., July 6.—(Special.)—The 250 men in the steel mill at Hyde City went out on a strike today and the plant is shut down indefinitely. The men wanted an advance in wages.

STEEL HOOP COMPANY DEFIES AMALGAMATED

Branch of the United States Steel Company Cuts Wages at Youngstown.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

YOUNGSTOWN, O., July 6.—The American Steel Hoop Company has made a bold step in notifying their men, who were paid off yesterday, of a cut in wages and practically ignoring the Amalgamated association. So serious was the situation that the headquarters at Pittsburgh were notified, and John Pierce, assistant to the president, and Vice President Richard Fitzgerald of this district were sent here last night to investigate. The reductions amounted to between 20 and 60 per cent, affecting men employed in the Girard plant and the upper and lower plants in this city. The puddlers are not affected. Part of the finishers, who were not cut, were discharged.

Assistant President John Pierce will return here on Friday to take up the situation, which promises to be the most serious the association has had on hand this year, for by this move the steel combination is invading a territory where the Amalgamated is particularly strong, and a fight must be made for its existence.

A preliminary meeting of the men was held here this afternoon and the situation discussed. All are in favor of fighting the stand taken by the company.

NEGRO WOMAN WOUNDED.

Shot by One of Her Boarders, Who Is Placed in Jail.

WASHINGTON, PA., July 6.—(Special.)—Charles W. Wade, colored, was sent to the Washington county jail yesterday afternoon to await court trial on a charge of felonious shooting. Wade on the Fourth of July shot his boarding mistress, Mary Helm, also colored, at Cecil.

Later Wade met Henry Gray, a resident of Cecil, and asked the latter to get him some shells. Gray gathered together some friends and with shotguns they surrounded Wade and brought him to Cecil late in the evening of the Fourth.

Victim of Ivy Poison.

KITTANNING, PA., July 6.—(Special.)—Supervisor Frank Acheson of Sugar Creek township is dead of his home from ivy poisoning. Two months ago he came in contact with poison ivy vines. He was aged about 55 and leaves a family.

On Way to Fair, Is Killed.

MARION, O., July 6.—(Special.)—Albert Fogel, a farmer, was struck by a train near Union today and instantly killed. He was on his way to the station to take a train for the St. Louis exposition.

The Up-to-date Highwayman.

The twentieth century highwayman begs to be excused from women company when he goes to hold up a victim. At least this is the example set by Martin Joyce, if the statements of John Donahue are true. The two men were arrested on Tuesday night. Donahue declared at the hearing yesterday morning that he met Joyce on the Union bridge talking with two young women. He said that Joyce asked the pardon of his companions and proceeded about his work. Donahue was knocked down and robbed of $12. Joyce and the women attempted to run away. Joyce was sentenced to pay a fine of $15. Donahue was discharged.

Town Marshal Kills Politician.

DENVER, COL., July 6.—"Mike" Ryan, a ward politician, was killed in a saloon row at Ft. Logan by Michael Hoolihan, town marshal, who asserts that he shot in self-defense.

UNIONTOWN MEN HELP FORM BIG COMBINATION

Three Companies Are United, Having a Capital Stock of Over $1,000,000.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

UNIONTOWN, PA., July 6.—A deal of importance has been completed in Norwich, Conn. The Kellogg-McCrum-Howell company was formed by a consolidation of three companies—the Kellogg-Richmond company of Norwich, the Penn Enamel Ware Company of Blairsville and the Uniontown Acme Radiator Company of Uniontown, all of which are now operated by the Kellogg-McCrum-Howell company, with offices in New York. The Kellogg-McCrum-Howell company is practically owned by C. Kellogg of New York and Lloyd G. McCrum and George D. Howell of Uniontown, Pa.

Mr. Kellogg is president, Mr. Howell is first vice president and Mr. McCrum treasurer and general manager. The three companies represent over $1,000,000 capital and are large earners. The three plants employ nearly 1,000 hands and do over $1,000,000 business a year.

PRISONERS FOILED.

Officer Finds Evidence of Preparations to Escape at Franklin, Pa.

OIL CITY, PA., July 6.—(Special.)—A well laid plan of the prisoners in the county jail at Franklin to escape on the night of the Fourth was accidentally discovered by Deputy Sheriff Culbertson. The matter was kept quiet by Sheriff McCollum in the hope that the number of prisoners implicated in the plot might be learned. Culbertson heard unusual hammering as he was passing the county jail on the afternoon of the Fourth, and made an inspection of the cells. Under the matting in the cell of John Voght, of this city, who is confined for robbery, he found saws, pinch bars, chisels and scrapers made from case knives and the iron parts of beds. The prisoners had been at work on the cell bars and a flag stone near the entrance to a sewer had been lifted up. The plan was to enter the sewer which leads to the street and escape by the manhole in the darkness.

It is said Voght was the leader and that he recently wrote to a friend here saying he and the other prisoners were going to escape and go to Canada.

HELD UP A BARTENDER.

Man With a Big Revolver Secured a Drink of Fine Whisky.

Lawrenceville police are looking for an unknown man who on the afternoon of the Fourth held up the bartender at Bernard Campbell's saloon, Forty-ninth and Hatfield streets, at the point of a revolver for a drink of whisky. A number of men were in the place when the man entered. He walked up to the bar and, pointing a large revolver at the bartender's head, demanded a drink from "that bottle there," pointing at a bottle which looked as if it contained rare whisky.

At first the bartender tried to laugh it off, thinking the fellow was joking, but when the stranger manifested his earnestness by poking his weapon into the bartender's face the latter pushed out the coveted bottle and a glass.

With a hearty "Here's how!" to the others in the barroom, the man gulped a drink of the liquor and walked out of the saloon and disappeared.

The revolver may only have been loaded with blank cartridges, if at all, but the bartender declared afterward he did not want to take any chances.

ROBBERS BIND AND GAG WOMAN

Aged Mrs. Tangney Is Left to Die and Spends Hours in Freeing Herself.

EVERY MOVE CAUSES AGONY

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, July 6.—With her wrists and ankles tied with leather thongs, and with a gag in her mouth, Mrs. Elizabeth Tangney, 75 years old, reported to be worth $500,000, was left to die in her lonesome rooms on the third floor of the building at No. 196 West Harrison street.

Four robbers, one of whom was a woman, had tied the thongs so tightly that every movement caused the aged woman agony, and at each attempt to scream the gag cut into her tongue. For seven hours after the thieves left the home the woman struggled with her bonds, and finally freed one hand. She rolled over and over, through a doorway into the kitchen, where she got a knife from the table and cut the leather which held her a prisoner. She then became unconscious.

It was two hours before she opened her eyes and crawled to the home of a neighbor, on whose doorstep she lay until discovered in the morning.

The suffering woman pleaded with the robbers that there were only a few dollars in the house. Another twist was taken in the bonds and she cried out that her money was in her trunk. It was but to gain a moment's relief from pain. The trunk was smashed to pieces and the torture was resumed. Deep into the wrists and ankles the leather bit, but she could reveal no secure. A large piece of leather was tied so that it came between the lips and pressed between the teeth.

A search of the premises followed. Nothing was found, and the woman robber suggested that the treasure might be beneath. Culbertson heard unusual hammering as he was passing the county jail on the afternoon of the Fourth, and made an inspection of the cells. Under the matting in the cell of John Voght, of this city, who is confined for robbery, he found saws, pinch bars, chisels and scrapers made from case knives and the iron parts of beds. The prisoners had been at work on the cell bars and a flag stone near the entrance to a sewer had been lifted up. The plan was to enter the sewer which leads to the street and escape by the manhole in the darkness.

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RUN ON A ONE-MAN BANK.

Slavs Create a Wild Scene in a Muriel Street Boarding House.

Nicholas Povitich, a Slav boarding-house keeper at 1308 Muriel street, South Side, was committed to jail last night by Alderman Sherran on the information of Michael Bige charging larceny by bailee. Povitich's arrest caused considerable excitement in the Slav colony. In addition to being a boarding-house keeper he acted as banker for his guests. There are 25 boarders in his house and each have $100 to $500 entrusted to his care.

Povitich has this money deposited in several banks on the South Side under different names. Bige wanted to draw $150 last week and asked Povitich to get the money. The boarding-house keeper failed to get it and Bige became angry. He immediately circulated a story which reflected on Povitich's honesty. This frightened the boarders, and in a body they demanded their money from Povitich.

There was a wild scene in the house when the demand was refused. The boarders threatened to kill Povitich. Bige, however, went to Alderman Sherran's office during the excitement and made information against Povitich. The latter was taken to jail in default of $500 bail. A bond was offered for the man's release, but the alderman thought Povitich might come to harm at the hands of his boarders and refused the bond.

Orthodox Rabbis Elect Officers.

NEW YORK, July 6.—The Association of Orthodox Rabbis of the United States today elected Rabbi A. G. Leaser of Cincinnati, president; Rabbi Ginsburg, Rochester, N. Y., treasurer, and Rabbi Israelite, Chelsea, Mass., secretary.

Store closes daily at 5 P. M. during July and August---excepting Saturdays

When we're open until 6:30 P. M., that being the closing hour of "The Big Store" on Saturday all the year 'round

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"THE BIG STORE"

Napkins, towels, toweling, etc.

375 dozen dice napkins, hemmed, ready for use— per dozen, 50c

378 dozen high-class satin damask napkins — ⅝ and ¾ size, some 27 in. square — marked at exactly half price.

Special lot of fine fringed, Turkish towels and plain birds-eye cotton towels— each, 4c

300 dozen hemmed towels, hemstitched, damask, huck and Turkish extra large bath towels—each, 25c

3,000 yards rolled crash toweling—plain Russia cotton twilled—yd., 4½c

3,000 remnants crash toweling lengths—1 to 3½ yards, some huck, some plain, also all-linen glass toweling, per yd., 10c

Reductions in children's straw hats

We have cut the prices on all our children's straw hats, the Mians, Shansis, Mackinaw braids, etc. All go at ⅓ less than regular prices:

The $4.00 grade go for 2.98
The $3.00 grade go for 1.98
The $2.00 grade go for 1.50.
The $1.50 grade go for 98c
The $1.00 grade go for 49c

Washable headwear for the little ones—at less than regular prices—in sailor, tam o'shanter, golf and yacht caps:

The regular $2.00 grade for 1.50
The regular $1.50 grade for 98c
The regular 98c grade for 75c
The regular 75c grade for 48c
The regular 50c grade for 25c

Very exceptional values in men's, women's and children's Shoes

HERE'S news that concerns only special price shoes—some were recently secured from two of the largest eastern makers and the balance were taken right out of our own stock. Every pair is exceptional in price—and, too, exceptional in points of merit—for they're not only good—but very good—as good in fact as 'tis possible for modern machinery and the most skillful labor to produce.

The men's shoes

3,000 pairs men's fine oxfords—made of imported tan Russia calf and Corono colt patent leather, lace and blucher styles, hand sewed welt soles, low and military heels, 11 styles of lasts, shoes that sell regularly for $3.50 and $4.00, extraordinary value at 2.45

Men's oxfords—made of fine patent leather and vici kid, Goodyear welt sewed, Boston last, heretofore priced $3, now 1.90

Men's canvas outing shoes—oxfords and high styles, leather soles, welt sewed—regular $2 shoes for 1.25

The women's shoes

3,000 pairs of women's best grade tan Russia calf, ideal kid and patent leather shoes, lace and blucher styles, turn and welt soles, Louis XV., military and Cuban heel, 40 new styles and lasts, taken from our regular stock—all regular $3 and $3.50 shoes reduced for this special sale to the very low price of 2.10

Women's oxfords—in vici kid and patent leather, light welt soles, low and Cuban heels—these oxfords have sold all season for $2, during this sale the price is 1.25

Misses' and children's fine vici kid lace shoes, patent tip spring heels, Goodyear welt soles—reduced from $2 to 1.25

Little gents' tan and black calf lace shoes—reduced from $1.75 to 1.25

Children's and misses' barefoot sandals—sizes 5 to 10 and 11 to 2—reduced from 85c and $1 to 69c

30% off

on all men's and boys' clothing

NO MATTER what the style, character or price of the garment—just pay 30% less than its marked price. The only exceptions are uniforms, liveries and full dress apparel. This sale differs from all others held throughout the year here or anywhere in that it offers you selection from complete lots of the season's choicest styles in men's and boys' clothing.

5.95 now buys any man's suit marked $8.50.
10.50 now buys any man's suit marked $15.
12.60 now buys any man's suit marked $18.
14.00 now buys any man's suit marked $20.
And so on up to suits marked $30, which go now for only 21.00.
1.73 now buys any man's pants marked $2.48.
2.10 now buys any man's pants marked $3.00.
3.50 now buys any man's pants marked $5.
4.90 now buys any man's pants marked $7.
And so on up to trousers marked $9, which go now for only 6.30.

1.40 now buys any boys' suit marked $2.00.
2.10 now buys any boys' suit marked $3.00.
3.50 now buys any boys' suits marked $5.
5.25 now buys any boys' suits marked $7.50.
And so on up to suits marked $20, which go now for only 14.00.
34c now buys any boys' pants marked 48c.
52c now buys any boys' pants marked 75c.
70c now buys any boys' pants marked 98c.
1.40 now buys any boys' pants marked $2.
And so on up to pants marked $6, which go now for only 4.20.

A quartet of specials in

Shirtwaist suits and skirts

HERE are two offers in shirtwaist suits—one in waists and one in skirts—that form as inviting a quartet of specials as we've brought before the notice of our patrons this season. And then, too, the garments are new and fresh—not the mussed and much handled sorts such as most stores are now showing. Our business is too active—our sales too rapid for laggards.

$8.50 to $15 skirts for 5.00

Here's the greatest skirt bargain of the season. 500 walking skirts in the new and swellest styles, made of broadcloths, Sicilians, mohairs, light and dark Scotch mixtures, etc., some in the new yoke effect, some in the new kilted effect, some in the side pleated style, in 12, 17 and 21-gore, plain, strapped or tailor-stitched, all sizes—regular values $8.50, $10, $12, $14 and $15, special at 5.00

$15 to $21 silk shirtwaist suits for 9.95

These are in the very latest styles, made of beautiful quality taffeta in plain colors or fancy pin dot or striped effects; also of excellent quality pongee silk. In this lot we also include fine French silk dresses, plain tucked, waists are fashioned with the newest full pleats, walking skirts—come in brown, blue, tan, green, black and white, sizes 32 to 42—regular $15, $18 and $21 value, for 9.95

$3.98 to $5.98 shirtwaist suits for 2.24

Greatest value we've given this season in cotton shirtwaist suits, made of finest quality lawn, gingham, linen, cotton French voile and madras, in plain colors, linen color, white and black; also fancy figures, stripes and dot effects, come in plain style or trimmed with embroidery, skirts with the new side pleat—regular prices $3.98, $5.00 and $5.98, special for 2.24

$2 to $3.75 wash silk waists for 1.69

Special purchase of 2,500 China and Japanese silk shirtwaists, all new goods, beautiful tucked effects, button trimmed, some trimmed with lace inserting, some in bertha effect with lace inserting all around, some with fine tucks and hemstitching, all with newest sleeve and stock collar, both white and black, sizes 32 to 44—regular value $2.00, $2.50 and $3.50, special 1.69

Sample sale of women's ribbed underwear

Cotton and lisle thread vests, low neck and short sleeves or sleeveless, plain or fancy tops; also drawers, umbrella or tight knee style, lace trimmed—regular 39c and 35c garments at 19c

White and colored lisle thread—or fine mercerized silk vests, fine ribbed cotton and lisle thread union suits—also several styles of drawers—75c and 50c garments at 25c

Fine ribbed underwear—in silk, silk and cotton, lisle and light weight wool—vests, drawers, union suits and corset covers, in white and colors, silk finished, crochet and lace trimmed—$1.25 and $1 garments at 50c

High grade imported under garments—including swiss ribbed and lace striped vests and bodices; also drawers and union suits, silk, lisle and light weight wool—$2.00 and $1.50 garments at 75c

Big sale of men's straw hats

MESSRS. VANDERHOEF & CO., and M. S. Mork & Co., New York, are among the largest manufacturers of men's straw hats in the country. We secured the entire floor stock of both houses; also the greater part of their surplus stock. The season's best styles in all the staple and popular straws are embraced. We have divided the purchase into two big lots, as follows:

Lot No. 1 embraces yacht straws, in English split and rough sennet braids, 2¼, 2⅝, 2⅞ and 3-inch crowns, with 2¼, 2⅜ and 2½-inch brims—hats made to sell for $1.50 and $2.00, special price, 90c

Lot No. 2 embraces English split and rough sennet yachts; also flexible brims, in mackinaw and shansi braids, in all the newest and most popular dimensions. Hats made to sell for $2.50, $3 and $3.50, special price 1.50

Watch for Dooley and His Philosophy in THE GAZETTE, SUNDAY, JULY 10.

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PITTSBURGH, THURSDAY MORNING, JULY 7, 1904.—PAGES 7 TO 12.

Democratic Fight at St. Louis, Which Is Full of Interest, Reported Fully IN THE GAZETTE.

THE PIRATES HAVE TAKEN TO MAKING GIFTS OF GAMES

COSTLY MISPLAYS BROUGHT DEFEAT

Errors by Smith and Leach Upset Flaherty's Good Pitching and Gave Colts the Game.

BRANSFIELD'S FINE BATTING

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

Chicago	4—Pittsburgh	3
New York	12—Philadelphia	3
St. Louis	8-8—Cincinnati	0-3
Brooklyn	3—Boston	2

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York	42	17	.712	St. Louis	33	31	.516
Chicago	38	26	.594	Brooklyn	28	42	.400
Cincinnati	28	27	.571	Boston	26	42	.382
Pittsburgh	35	29	.547	Philadelphia	16	46	.258

LEAGUE GAMES TODAY.

Chicago at Exposition park.

The Pirates, or rather a pair of them, were in a generous mood yesterday afternoon and presented Chicago a game that team had no right to. The generous ones were Leach and Smith, who during the afternoon contributed a couple of misplays which gave the visitors the majority of their runs and allowed them to score a 4 to 3 victory. It was rather exasperating for the 4,700 spectators, but all they could do was to grin and bear it.

Smith's misplay, the more costly of the two, happened in the fifth and paved the way for two of the Colts' tallies which were scored in that inning. Kling, who was the first batsman that inning, bounded a high ball near the plate which Smith got all right and then proceeded to make a three-base throw to right field, and when the ball was recovered Kling was standing on third base. A base on balls to Tinker and a life to Williams, followed by a single by Pitcher Wicker, brought the two runs in. Up to this inning the score was 1 to 0 in the Pirates' favor.

Leach's contribution to the misplay column happened in the eighth, and his throw of Chance's grounder went over Bransfield's head, Steinfeldt scoring. Bransfield's single, from which point he scored on an out at first and a single by Kling. Had the Pirates played clean ball the victory would have been an easy one, for they outbatted the Colts to the tune of eight hits against seven, which calls for a victory providing he is given the proper kind of support. The spectators sympathized with the little left-hander and cheered him time and again for his efforts.

The Pirates had chances to win the game, but the batsmen were not equal to the emergency. This was true of the ninth inning, when with two men on bases and Beaumont was at bat, and a single meant the run that would tie the score, but the best Beaumont could do was to push a grounder to Smith, who fielded on third base, sending the game to second, ending the game. Wicker was on the rubber for the Colts, and his delivery was touched up just enough to win the game but it not been for the misplays it would have been a shut-out.

The real feature of the game, outside the bad plays of the pair mentioned, was the return to batting form of Bransfield. Four times Bransfield faced the big first baseman had four hits, three singles and a two-bagger, and it was his hits that scored the three runs for the Pirates. The first run was scored in the fifth inning by Wagner, who reached first on a single and scored on Bransfield's two-bagger to left. With one out in the eighth inning Beaumont beat out a hunt and Leach singled to center. Both moved up on Wagner's fly-out to McCarthy and scored when Bransfield planted the ball in middle for his fourth hit of the game.

Flaherty was touched for seven hits, but allowed Kling three passes in the fifth, was the starter for the Colts. The next batter went out on a foul fly and Wicker was given a base on balls. Williams then gathered in a single, Flaherty and Kling was caught and run down, but Tinker and Williams moved to second and third base, from which point they scored on Wicker's run. Kling in the eighth inning Williams singled and got around on a single by Wicker and a fly-out. Leach's error on Chance's grounder in the eighth was responsible for the Colts' winning tally. Chance reached second on the misplay, went to third on an out at first and scored on Kling's single to left. The score:

Pittsburgh.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Leach, c.	0	1	7	1	1	Slagle, l.	0	0	1	0	0
Beaumont, l.	0	1	1	1	0	Sheckard, l.	0	0	0	0	0
Clarke, l.	1	1	1	0	0	Chance, 1.	1	0	8	0	0
Wagner, s.	1	1	0	5	0	McCarty, m.	0	1	2	0	0
Bransfield, 1.	0	4	17	0	0	Kling, c.	0	2	5	1	0
Fleming, r.	0	1	1	0	0	Evers, s.	0	2	2	5	0
Ritchey, 2.	2	0	0	2	5	Tinker, s.	1	0	1	5	0
Smith, c.	0	1	3	1	1	Williams, r.	2	1	2	0	0
*Phelps.	0	0	0	0	0	Wicker, p.	0	2	0	0	0
Flaherty, p.	0	0	1	4	0						
Totals.	4	10	27	14	2	Totals.	4	12	27	8	0

*Ran for Smith in ninth.

Pittsburgh	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0—4
Chicago	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	1	0—4

Two-base hit—Bransfield. Sacrifice hits—Chance, Kling. Double play—Tinker, Evers and Chance. First base on balls—Off Flaherty 1 (Tinker); off Wicker 3 (Leach, Schwing, Smith). Struck out—By Flaherty 2 (Slagle, McCarthy); by Wicker 4 (Leach, Clarke, Ritchey, Flaherty). Passed ball—Kling. Time—1:50. Umpire—O'Day.

The Reds Twice Beaten.

ST. LOUIS, July 6.—The St. Louis National league team won a double-header from Cincinnati here today. Taylor's heady pitching in the second game was the feature of the first contest, and good stick work behind Nichols was responsible for landing the second game. Attendance—3,000. The scores:

FIRST GAME.

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Cincinnati	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Farrell, 2.	1	1	2	4	0	Huggins, 2.	0	0	1	2	1
Shannon, r.	1	1	2	0	0	Kelley, l.	0	0	1	0	0
Steele, l.	1	0	2	1	0	Corcoran, s.	0	0	1	2	0
Smoot, m.	0	1	3	0	0	Seymour, m.	0	0	2	0	0
Brain, s.	1	1	2	2	1	Dolan, r.	0	0	2	1	0
Barclay, 1.	1	0	9	0	0	Steinfeldt, 3.	0	0	0	3	1
Burke, c.	0	0	2	1	0	Corcoran, c.	0	0	4	5	0
Taylor, p.	0	0	2	5	0	McGuire, c.	0	0	1	4	0
						Powers, c.	0	0	0	0	1
						Plank, p.	0	1	0	0	0
						Noonan, l.	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	7	5	27	15	2	Totals.	0	2	24	11	2

St. Louis	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—1
Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

Two-base hits—Farrell, Corcoran, Brain and Beckley, Seymour and Corcoran. Sacrifice hits—Smoot, Corcoran. Double plays—Farrell, Brain and Beckley; Huggins and Corcoran. Passed ball—Burke. First base on balls—Off Taylor 2, off Plank 2. Struck out—By Taylor 4, by Harper 3. Time of game—1:23. Umpires—Moran and Zimmer.

SECOND GAME.

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Cincinnati	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Farrell, 2.	2	2	2	2	5	0	Huggins, 2.	1	1	3	2	0
Shannon, r.	2	1	1	0	0	0	Kelley, l.	0	0	7	2	0
Beckley, l.	1	1	2	1	2	0	Odwell, l.	0	0	1	1	0
Seymour, m.	0	0	1	0	0	0	Seymour, m.	0	0	1	1	0
Brain, s.	0	1	1	3	0	0	Dolan, r.	0	0	2	0	1
Barclay, 1.	0	0	2	2	0	0	Steinfeldt, 3.	0	0	1	0	0
Burke, c.	0	0	1	1	1	0	Woodruff, 3.	0	0	1	1	0
Zearfoss, c.	0	0	1	3	1	0	Corcoran, s.	0	0	0	3	0
Nichols, p.	0	0	0	1	1	0	Schlei, c.	0	0	3	1	0
							Kellum, p.	0	0	1	1	2
Totals.	6	6	11	27	13	0	Totals.	1	3	0	24	12	1

St. Louis	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0—2
Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0—1

Three-base hit—Farrell. Sacrifice hits—Smoot, Double plays—Farrell, Brain and Beckley; Seymour and Corcoran; Brain and Beckley; Huggins and Corcoran. Passed ball—Zearfoss. First base on balls—Off Nichols 1 (Steinfeldt). Bases on balls—Off Kellum 3. Struck out—By Nichols 3, Kellum 3. Time of game—1:25. Umpires—Moran and Zimmer.

Pittenger Lost His Own Game.

BOSTON, July 6.—Brooklyn won today's game from Boston on long hits by Lumley and Sheckard and Pittenger's blunder in interfering with a throw to home base. Geier was put out of the game for the manner of his objection to close decisions. Plays by Dillon and Sheckard were features. Score:

Brooklyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Dobbs, m.	0	0	0	0	0	Geier, m.	0	1	1	1	0
Dillon, l.	1	2	12	1	0	Carnell, l.	0	0	1	1	0
Lumley, r.	1	2	0	0	1	Tenney, l.	0	1	0	2	0
Sheckard, l.	1	2	3	0	0	Carney, r.	1	1	0	0	0
Jacklitsch, c.	0	1	2	2	0	Cooley, l.	1	0	2	0	0
Fisher, c.	0	0	2	0	0	Abbitt, c.	0	2	1	3	2
Jordan, 2.	0	0	1	1	1	Delehy, 2.	0	2	1	1	0
McCorkle, s.	0	0	0	2	0	Rayner, 2.	0	0	0	2	0
Garvin, p.	0	0	1	0	4	Needham, c.	0	0	8	1	0
						Pittenger, p.	0	0	2	2	0
						*Moran.	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	3	8	27	11	2	Totals.	2	8	27	10	3

*Batted for Pittenger in ninth.

Brooklyn	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0—3
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0—2

Two-base hits—Sheckard 2, Delehanty. Three-base hit—Lumley. Sacrifice hits—Dillon, Smith. First base on balls—Off Garvin 1, Pittenger 1. Struck out—By Garvin 3, Pittenger 2. Double plays—Geier and Abbatticchio; Garvin, Dillon and Ritter. First base on balls—Off Pittenger 2, off Garvin 2. Struck out—By Pittenger 4, by Garvin 1. Wild pitch—Pittenger. Time—1:43. Umpire—Emslie. Attendance—2,003.

MACK'S TEAM IS BEATEN AGAIN

Hughes Pitched Fine Ball All the Way, and Kept Quakers from Scoring Runs.

BOSTON WAS ALSO A WINNER

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Boston	8—Washington	6
New York	7—Philadelphia	1
Cleveland	Rain	St. Louis
Detroit	No game	Chicago

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	42	22	.656	Philadelphia	32	32	.500
New York	40	23	.635	St. Louis	27	33	.450
Chicago	39	28	.582	Detroit	27	36	.429
Cleveland	32	27	.541	Washington	21	51	.177

AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES TODAY.

Boston at New York.
Washington at Philadelphia.
Detroit at Cleveland.
Chicago at St. Louis.

(By Associated Press to The Gazette.)

NEW YORK, July 6.—The local Americans easily defeated Philadelphia here today, outplaying the visitors at every stage of the game. Score:

New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Doherty, l.	2	1	3	0	0	0	Hartsel, l.	1	0	3	0	0	0
Keeler, r.	1	0	0	0	0	0	Pelring, m.	0	0	3	0	1	0
Williams, 1.	2	1	4	4	0	0	Bruce, rsp.	0	0	5	0	2	1
Anderson, m.	1	0	1	2	1	0	L. Cross, 3.	0	1	1	2	1	0
Elberfeld, s.	2	0	0	2	6	0	Seybold, 1.	0	0	6	3	0	0
Pulis, m.	0	1	2	0	0	0	Murphy, c.	0	1	2	0	0	0
Conroy, 3.	1	0	1	0	2	0	McInnis, s.	0	0	1	4	5	0
McGuire, c.	1	1	5	3	0	0	Powers, c.	0	0	8	0	1	0
Hughes, p.	1	2	1	1	0	0	Plank, p.	0	1	0	0	0	0
							Noonan, l.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	7	7	27	16	0		Totals.	1	3	24	12	6	1

New York	2	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	*—7
Philadelphia	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—1

Two-base hit—Williams. Three-base hit—Murphy. Hits off Plank, 4 in 2 innings; off Bruce, 3 in 6 innings. Sacrifice hits—Keeler, Seven Stolen bases—Anderson, M. Cross. Double plays—William and Anderson; Elberfeld, Williams and Anderson; M. Cross, Murphy and Seybold; M. Cross, Murphy and Noonan. First base on balls—Off Hughes 6, off Plank 1. Struck out—By Hughes 6, by Plank 1, by Bruce 1. Passed ball—McGuire. Time—1:40. Umpire—Sheridan. Attendance—3,400.

Boston 3—Washington 0.

WASHINGTON, July 6.—Young was very effective with men on bases and Beaumont and Stahl Boston defeated Washington 3 to 0. Cassidy's playing at short was the feature. Score:

Washton.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Coughlin, l.	0	1	1	2	0	C. Stahl, m.	0	1	1	0	0
Orth, m.	0	0	1	5	1	Collins, 3.	0	1	3	5	0
Cassidy, s.	0	0	1	4	0	Freeman, r.	0	2	0	0	0
Donovan, r.	0	2	0	0	0	Parent, s.	0	1	3	4	0
O'Neil, 1.	0	0	9	1	0	Seibach, 1.	1	1	9	1	0
Clarke, c.	0	1	2	8	0	Lachance, c.	0	1	7	2	0
Stahl, 1.	0	0	1	4	0	0	Ferris, 2.	0	0	2	2	4	0
Kitsdge, c.	0	1	4	1	1	Criger, c.	0	0	1	4	1	0
Jacobsen, p.	0	0	0	0	0	Young, p.	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals.	0	7	27	16	3	Totals.	3	10	27	15	6

Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
Boston	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0—2

Two-base hits—Donovan 2, Coughlin, Lachance. Three-base hits—Seibach, Ferris. Stolen base—Shultz. Sacrifice hit—Ferris. Double plays—Cassidy and J. Stahl; Cassidy, McCormick and J. Stahl. Struck out—By Jacobsen 3, by Young 3. Time—1:45. Umpires—Dwyer and King. Attendance—500.

OAKMONT WON MATCH.

Defeated Pittsburgh Golf Club on the Schenley Park Links.

Oakmont Country club defeated the Pittsburgh Golf club yesterday on Schenley park links 24 to 8. The match was one of the Western Pennsylvania Golf association championship series. Today Pittsburgh Golf club will play the Field club at Brighton. Individual records of yesterday's match were:

Oakmont C. C.		Pittsburgh Golf C.	
W. C. Downes, Jr.	11	T. K. Laugalin	0
G. A. Ormiston	9	F. K. Barr	0
W. C. Downes	1	W. R. Bier	0
H. C. Fownes	3	J. O'H. Denny	0
C. B. Fownes	3	M. A. Preston	0
Total	24	Total	8

*By default.

Tomorrow afternoon St. Paul's school team will play Allegheny high school. The contest will be 18 holes of match play and the scoring will give one point to winner at end of first nine holes, one point to winner of second nine holes and one point to winner of both rounds. If the team returns over Jouromons will be arranged for Saturday. The lineup for the team match will be as follows:

Stickney,	A. K. Oliver,
Howland,	H. S. Horne,
D. Leet Oliver,	R. P. Nevin, Jr.,
Stockton,	J. E. Porter,
Noble,	J. E. Oliver.

Tonight if weather conditions are favorable the putting contests on illuminated greens will take place at the Edgeworth club. The event is quite in the nature of a garden party as well.

Giants Start Another Rally.

PHILADELPHIA, July 6.—New York outplayed the home team in every department today and won with ease. Attendance 1,972. Score:

New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Bresh'n, m.	0	3	1	0	0	Thomas, m.	0	0	0	0	0
Browne, r.	0	0	2	0	1	Gleason, 2.	0	3	4	4	1
Devlin, s.	2	2	1	0	0	Lush, r.	0	1	2	0	0
Dunn, 3.	0	0	0	0	0	Doyle, l.	0	1	11	0	1
McGann, l.	3	3	11	0	0	Dooin, c.	0	2	5	1	0
Mertes, r.	1	1	0	0	0	Moore, l.	0	1	1	3	0
McGr'k, 1.	1	1	1	0	0	Hall, 3.	1	2	0	2	0
Dahlen, s.	1	2	4	3	0	Hulswit, s.	0	0	2	4	1
Gilbert, 2.	2	3	2	6	0	Fraser, p.	0	0	0	0	1
Bowerman, c.	2	2	5	0	0	Titus, p.	0	0	0	0	0
Matson, p.	0	0	0	0	0	Barry,	0	0	0	0	0
Ames,	0	0	0	0	0	Titus,	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	12	18	27	12	1	Totals.	1	13	27	12	5

*Batted for Fraser in fifth. †Batted for McPherson in ninth.

New York	0	0	2	1	0	3	2	0	5	0—12
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0—3

Two-base hits—Dahlen 2, McGee. Sacrifice hits—Mertes, Dahlen, Bowerman. Stolen bases—Devlin 3. Double plays—Bowerman and Dahlen; Dahlen, Gilbert and McGann. First base on balls—Off Matheweson 2, off Ames 2, off Fraser 1, off McPherson 2, off Titus 1, by pitched ball—McGann, Gilbert. Struck out—By Matheweson 4, by Ames 2, by Fraser 1, by McPherson 2. Hits off Matheweson, 6 in 6 innings; off Ames, 3 in 3 innings; off Fraser, 0 in 1 inning; off McPherson, 4 in 4 innings. Wild pitch—Ames. Time—1:55. Umpires—Johnstone and Carpenter.

"Hank" West Wins His Game.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., July 6.—(Special.)—Johnstown did not bat hard today, but it made its hits count. Score:

Johnst'n.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Cubans.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Vought, 3.	1	0	0	6	1	E'mente, s.	1	0	3	5	0
Sapp, 2.	2	1	2	3	0	Quijers, r-l.	1	2	6	0	1
Morgan, m.	1	1	5	1	0	Palomino, r.	0	0	1	0	0
Sanchez, s.	0	0	0	1	0	Garcia, 1.	0	0	9	0	0
Jeffries, l.	0	0	2	3	0	Borges, p.	0	1	1	0	0
Owens, r.	0	0	1	1	0	Munez, 1.	0	1	2	0	0
Menefee, 1.	0	0	10	1	0	Sanchez, c.	0	0	3	1	1
Murray, c.	0	1	4	1	1	Figarola, s.	0	0	1	2	0
West, p.	0	0	0	1	0	S. Garcia, m.	0	1	0	0	0
						Figarola, 2.	0	1	0	0	0
Totals.	4	4	27	17	2	Totals.	3	6	27	15	4

Johnstown	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0—4
All-Cubans	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1—3

Two-base hits—Sapp, Figarola. Home runs—Morgan, Borges. Sacrifice hit—Figarola. Bases on balls—Vought, Sapp, Menefee 2, Bustamente. Hit by pitched ball—Sanchez, Sanchez. Struck out—Vought, Sandherr, Owens, A. Garcia, Figarola. Time—1:45. Umpires—Wilson and Horlen.

Crafton Easy for Wooster.

WOOSTER, O., July 6.—(Special.)—The Crafton trolley league's were an easy thing for the Wooster Giants this afternoon. In the third inning Noviski went up. Score:

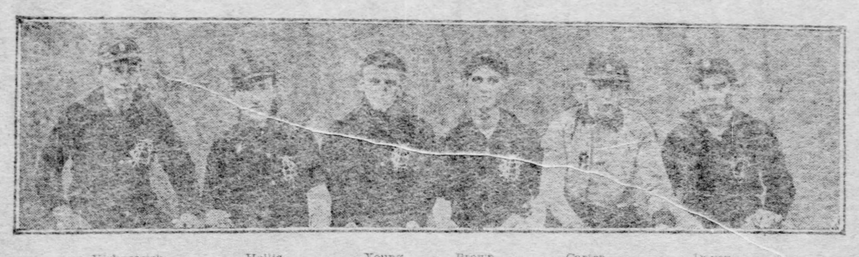
Crafton	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0—1	R.	H.	E.
Wooster	2	0	8	1	0	1	0	0	0—13	16	2

Batteries—Novisgi, Holcomb and Cornell; Bauer and Alcock.

Tennis Entries Close Friday.

The entries for the amateur tennis championship singles, handicap and consolation will close Friday evening. The tourney this year promises to be more interesting than usual.

Beltzhoover Sextette That Has Been Doing Good Work



Kirkpatrick, Hollis, Young, Brown, Carter, Daven.

INTERSCHOLASTICS LOSE THROUGH WILD THROWS

McKeesport Had but One Hit and No Runs Off Doyle Up to Sixth Inning.

The Interscholastics got a fine start on Spittal, the McKeesport pitcher, yesterday at the Riverton park, but threw away the game in the final innings, losing by 6 to 2. Don Doyle had the steel workers shut out up to the sixth with but one hit, when his support began to shake and then fall, due principally to a wet ball.

The game, however, was exciting and pleased the crowd. The Scholastics were shy three regular players, as it looked as though there would be no game and some of the regulars did not show up at the park.

Moffet, the first man up, shot a single into left, and Mackrell beat out a fielder's choice. Uptegraf made a pretty sacrifice and Porter cleared the sacks with a liner into right. McKeesport was not dangerous until the sixth, when Price led off with a two-bagger. English went out and Cox kicked Wt. Shultz's grounder. Price scored on Doyle's fly to Mackrell, but Weisser hit and then Mackrell allowed H. Shultz's fly to get away, which went for three bases, two runs scoring. Jim Shultz struck out.

Sellers singled in the next inning and Cox dropped Spittal's fly. At this stage Porter made a poor throw to Doyle after a pitch, and Moffet, trying to catch Sellers at third, threw wild, Sellers scoring. A wild pitch let in Spittal. Porter dropped a foul from Weisser's bat in the eighth and the latter then hit a double, and H. Shultz's single scored him.

The grounds were heavy due to rain, which in a way was responsible for some of the errors. The score:

Inter.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	McK'p't.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Moffet, 2.	1	1	3	1	2	Price, s.	1	1	0	4	0
Mackrell, 1.	1	1	9	1	0	English, r.	0	0	0	2	0
Uptegraf, m.	0	0	1	0	0	Wt. Shultz, 2.	1	1	2	2	0
Porter, c.	0	2	6	0	2	Stuetz, 2.	0	0	5	4	0
M'Cken, 3.	0	2	2	0	0	Weisser, c.	0	2	3	2	0
Duffy, l.	0	0	8	0	1	H. Shultz, l.	0	1	3	0	0
Cox, s.	0	0	1	2	1	Shultz, p.	0	0	1	2	0
Pfeiller, r.	0	1	1	0	0	Sellers, 3.	1	1	2	2	0
Doyle, p.	0	1	0	1	0	Spittal, p.	0	1	0	1	0
Totals.	2	9	24	5	6	Totals.	3	6	27	12	0

Scholastics	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0
McKeesport	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	*—1

Two-base hits—Price, Weisser. Sacrifice hit—Uptegraf. Stolen base—Brookmiller. Wild pitch—Doyle. Bases on balls—English. Struck out—English 2, Shultz 2, Spittal 2, Doyle 2. Double plays—Doyle, Cox, Brookmiller, Doyle. Double play—Streets and H. Shultz. Umpire—Dash.

NOTES OF THE GAME.

Cox is a pitcher formerly of P. A. C.

George English robbed Doyle of a two-bagger in the seventh.

English is a former Bucknell outfielder. Porter played on Bucknell the past two years.

Streets played a swell game at second, accepting nine chances, some of them being difficult.

Alexander McCracken got away with a "Rose" Miller hit in the sixth. In this inning Porter singled and was on first. Alexander drove one straight into Spittal, the ball hitting him and rolling back to Weisser.

Central League Games.

WHEELING, W. VA., July 6.—Score: First game—

										R.	H.	E.
Wheeling	3	2	0	3	1	0	2	1	0—12	10	2
Dayton	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2—4	10	5

Batteries—Fox and Schriver; Pearson and Hawkins.

Second game—

										R.	H.	E.
Wheeling	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1—2	4	4
Dayton	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1—2	4	1

Batteries—Cannon and Schriver; Smith and Hawkins.

Police Teams Will Meet.

After many challenges, in which each side claimed the other was afraid, the baseball teams of the South Side and Lawrenceville police arranged a meeting. The game, which will be played in Friendship park tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock and a rousing time is expected.

Rain Stopped the Races.

The races scheduled at Johnstown and Beaver Falls for yesterday were postponed because of rain.

Amateur Games Yesterday.

On Addaks Grounds—

										R.	H.	E.
North Side	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	2	0—5	6	6
Addaks	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—1	4	4

Batteries—Jenkins and Gausman; Murray and Hunt. Umpire—Becker.

On Xantha Grounds—

										R.	H.	E.
Xantha	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	5	5	0—18	23	0
Treat A. C.	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—1	2	10
At Mc. Troy—												
Mc. Troy	3	0	0	2	3	0	0	1	0—9	12	7
Hazel A. C.	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0—2	4	4
At Bellevue—												
Ally. Amateurs	1	0	0	1	0	4	3	0—10		R.	H.	E.
Belvedere	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	0—5	8	2

Batteries—Reiter and Berrett.

At Sharpsburg—

										R.	H.	E.
Marshall Mem.	1	2	0	2	0	0	0	8	1—14	19	9
Singer Mem.	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—5	10	6

Batteries—Mathewson and Sheets; McCluskey and Forsythe.

Lawyer Teams Play Ball.

ALTOONA, PA., July 6.—(Special.)—In a spirited and well-played seven-inning contest at Columbia park this afternoon a nine composed of Altoona lawyers defeated the Johnstown attorney baseball players, 6 to 2. Score:

										R.	H.	E.
Johnstown	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0—2	5	5
Altoona	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	*—1	6	2

Batteries—Barnhart, Meinhart and Wolfe; Diver and Flanigan. Judge Martin Bell was umpire.

Mike Donlin Suspended by Cincinnati for Drinking—Pittsburgh After McIlveen.

The advices from Sharon last night that Manager Moyer of that club and Marty Hogan, manager of the Ohio Works team of Youngstown, had severed relations because of a controversy over the removal of Umpire Evans at Youngstown caused comment among the independents.

Lew Wentz, manager of the P. A. C. team, said last night that Evans had worked both games Monday at Youngstown and that his rulings were fair and in general his work was very satisfactory. Sharon and Youngstown, along with a few other clubs, had formed a schedule that in some respects took the place of a league, but if they adhere to their decision not to play the recent past will lose caste and ultimately go up as it feared.

First Baseman Hans of Warren and Pitcher Glassburner of the Niles team engaged in a fistcuff at Warren the other day while in a game. Several people claim

KAUFMANNS OPEN BIG DININGROOM

Magnificent Restaurant on the Eighth Floor of the "Big Store."

PLEASANT TIME AT A BANQUET

Kaufmanns last night inaugurated their latest enterprise when they entertained half a hundred Pittsburgh newspapermen at the formal opening of one of the largest restaurants in the world. The establishment is on the eighth floor of the new building at Diamond and Smithfield streets, and will rank among the leading dining rooms in the city. It will be conducted on lines similar to all other ventures made by this popular firm and gives assurance of the highest class service. The banquet spread last night was a sample of the excellent cuisine which the big restaurant will offer to its patrons.

Besides the newspapermen, were a number of persons associated with the firm, and all joined in paying tribute to the enterprise of Kaufmanns. They were pioneers in the Greater Pittsburgh idea, several speakers said. If all business men in Pittsburgh showed the same characteristic energy and pluck, it was declared, Pittsburgh would predominate throughout Western Pennsylvania in all lines of business progress, just as the "Big Store" leads in the clothing trade.

Growth of a Big Enterprise.

Morris Baer, the business manager of the firm acted as toastmaster, and introduced the speakers. Every one who responded had some interesting reminiscences of Mr. Baer's connection with the business. It was recalled how Kaufmanns moved from their little store on the South Side in the '70's, opened up on this side of the river and carried an advertising contract of $80 a year in the Pittsburgh newspapers, while their net outlay for advertising now reaches $500,000. The growth of the "Big Store" was pointed out as typical of the progress of the Smoky City, and its advertising enterprise was declared to be without a peer in the United States.

Mr. Baer paid a neat compliment to the Pittsburgh newspapers and said they were largely instrumental in the growth of all classes of business. He said no big firm could exist in these days of close competition without the advertising columns of the press. The newspapers of this city, he said, were the best advertising mediums in the country. There was a deal of shop talk along these lines and much good-natured banter across the table. Mr. Baer's name furnished good opportunity for the punsters, who spoke of him as the "baer" in the dry-goods market, who constantly insisted on cutting down prices.

Host of the Evening.

The host of the evening was M. Kartsen, manager of the new restaurant. Formerly he was connected with the Waldorf and the Imperial in New York. He was long connected with those establishments and was for a time in the employ of W. F. Urbauer, manager of the Union restaurant of this city. Mr. Urbauer sat at the host's right hand last night and attested to his ability as a first-class caterer.

The new restaurant has a seating capacity of 350 persons. It employs a staff of 80 people and its chef was for several years connected with one of New York's largest and best hotels. Its head waiter is George Marsh, who comes here highly recommended from Chicago. Being located on the eighth floor of the building, the restaurant is light and cool and provided with the best ventilating apparatus. In a short time eight elevators will carry passengers to all parts of the building. The two first elevators now give excellent service. The prices will be extremely low when the high-class service is taken into account. Mid-day lunches will by no means be the object of the new hostelry. Afternoon luncheon parties can be accommodated at tables, which will be provided with all the dainties of metropolitan markets.

Proud of His Kitchen.

Mine Host Kartsen is especially proud of the kitchen, and before his guests sat down to the banquet last night they were escorted through the culinary department where all the breads, pastries and ice creams are manufactured, especially to the order of the chef.

The restaurant is furnished in simple but elegant taste. The decorations are in the Empire style and were executed by Dobbert & Schofer. The kitchen was equipped by Dennler Bros. Alongside the public dining room is the big restaurant, where the 2,000 employes of the firm will get their meals. It is probable that over 5,000 persons will eat their meals in the big building before the restaurant has been long established. A feature of the service will be the combination breakfast, which will be served between 8 and 11 a. m. at rates which are exceedingly low.

Morris Kaufmann, Jacob Kaufmann and all the members of the firm were present last night to bid welcome to the guests. The string orchestra from the Union cafe rendered things lively with good music, and when the cigars and coffee were reached the assemblage broke up while the guests joined in a merry song dedicated to the new caterers.

CHAUTAUQUA

CHAUTAUQUA, N. Y., July 6.—(Special.)—Rain was again very much in evidence this morning, but considerately ceased falling before the day's program was far advanced. The devotional hour was conducted by Miss Miller and Miss Layton of Australia. A special feature of each devotional hour this week will be the vocal solos by Miss Layton, who is a singer of much ability and culture.

C. H. Boynton of the University of Chicago lectured in the amphitheater on "Passing Types." Mr. Boynton's descriptions place the subjects vividly before his listeners, and it was as though the minister and family doctor of each member of the audience had been personally and closely known by Mr. Boynton, so faithfully did he depict each type. He spoke at some length of the passing of the old-time minister and the advent of the type demanded by the present generation. Of the passing of the old-time family doctor to make way for the medical specialist of each part of the human body; of the passing of the conditions which led to closer personal contact between college student and professor, and of the passing of the old-fashioned methods of "raising children," which are being supplanted by the new methods which the present age seems to demand. That the lecture was unusually interesting was shown by the fact that, though the 12 o'clock bell rang and numerous dinner gongs sounded, the audience gave no heed to any sound save that of the speaker's voice.

At the concert in the afternoon by the Chautauqua choir and soloists, Col Marcosson, violinist, made his first appearance this season and received a most enthusiastic welcome.

Bishop Vincent led the young people's prayer meeting, the first of the season. Denominational prayer meetings were held in the various denominational headquarters.

The stereopticon prelude was given at 7. Later Miss Miller gave a lecture on "People I Have Met."

John C. Martin of New York, a trustee of Chautauqua institute has arrived here for the season and is at the Athenaeum.

MRS. HAMILTON COMES BACK HOME FOR CLOTHES

Mrs. William Hamilton, who created a sensation two weeks ago by marrying one man while another was giving a bachelor dinner in anticipation of making her his wife, returned to the home of her parents in Homewood yesterday to get her clothing. Before the marriage she was Miss Charlotte Martin and was a teacher in the Homewood schools. It was generally understood that she was about to become the wife of T. Morrison McKenna, and Mr. McKenna had furnished a flat and had made preparations for a trip to the St. Louis world's fair, when she suddenly changed her mind and married William Hamilton of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich. Her husband did not accompany her on her visit to Pittsburgh.

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BELIEVES NORGE GAVE WAY TO THE CURRENT

A High Officer of the Danish Navy Defends Vessel and Captain

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

COPENHAGEN, July 6.—Captain Lamb, one of the highest officers of the Danish navy said today that the Danish steamship Norge which was wrecked on Rockall reef, 290 miles from the Scottish mainland on June 28, was an excellent and strongly built ship and that Captain Gundell was one of the most capable navigators on the Trans-Atlantic route. Capt. Lamb asserted that no fault could be found either with the captain or the crew. He said he believed that the Norge gave way with the current and added:

"I have made 300 trips to the United States and my ship often gave way owing to the stream and the variation of the compass. These conditions are known to all navigators."

Officers of the United Steamship Company which owned the Norge, deny the statements made by the survivors of the wreck that the strings of the life belts were rotten or that the supply of life belts was insufficient.

They say that only recently the Norge was supplied with 300 new life belts and that the stock on board exceeded the number of passengers carried by the ship on her last trip.

NEW YORK, July 6.—A. E. Johnson, ticket agent of the Scandinavian-American line, received a cablegram tonight giving the following names of passengers of the Norge saved by the steamer Cervona:

Abraham Malicowsky, Ole Olsen, Carl Sohansen and six of crew; Chrum Rosofsky, Erik Nelson Gunderud, Askjorn B. Bjerge, Johannas Jogosan, Nathanius P. Sivorisna, Nels D. Nelson, Emil Hanson, Kristian Nilsson, Gustaf Hoglund, Burah Prusansky, Sifra Prusansky, Moische Prusansky, Abraham Prusansky, Schimenko Josef, Martin M. Wodin, Ludwig J. Bottolfson, Carl Johanson, Wolfred Sandal, Wilhelm Paulson, Knut Karlson, Wasker Hoffe, Karl L. Larson, Larae K. Opsim, Jens Hamborg, Loser Libin, Leib Rosoman, Bert Gerston, August Tornberg, Borch Sirotsen, Aran Scholmeischer, Rivko Rosowsky, Isidor Bose, Jorgen Hansen, Jookob Hansen, Hans Olsen, Oscar Peuerson, Anda Augustinnusen, Carl Termeden.

WESTINGHOUSE COMPANY SCOOPS BIG CONTRACT

English Concerns Order Cars and Equipment to Cost Half Million Dollars.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, July 6.—The Westinghouse interests continue to scoop in the cream of the contracts for various equipment, etc., for the several electric traction systems now under construction in England. The contracts secured within the past few days represent an expenditure of at least $500,000.

One contract relates to 32 cars and equipments for the District Council tramways being built at Walthamston, a suburb of London, whose power house will also have Westinghouse equipment. The Wigan corporation has ordered 12 cars and motor equipment, the Westinghouse people having been allotted the contract over the heads of eight competitors.

The Birmingham corporation has requistioned for nearly 5,000 horse power of Westinghouse generating outfits, which will include one 1,500 kilowatt, three phase generator and three of 500 kilowatts' capacity each.

The United States Steel Corporation—Lorain Steel Company branch—has captured the contract for the special rail work to be used in the construction of the Radcliffe Council electric traction system.

VICTIM OF SKYROCKET.

Stick Penetrates Brain of Ralph E. Wirt and Death Follows Surgical Operation.

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., July 6.—(Special.)—Ralph E. Wirt, a brother of the secretary of the Diamond Match Company, who was struck behind the ear by a skyrocket two days ago, died today after an operation had been performed on his fractured skull. Wirt, who was a Yale graduate, was spending the holiday at the country home of D. G. Reid, vice president of the American Tin Can Company, at Irvington-on-the-Hudson, where the accident occurred.

The sharp stick of the rocket penetrated the skull, causing a bad fracture at the base. Wirt did not regain consciousness. Five physicians were called in consultation, but little hope of saving his life was entertained at any time by them.

Today it was decided to perform an operation. It was believed that some of the skull bones were pressing on the brain. The operation, however, was futile.

Wirt's father and mother have been summoned from Chicago.

FALCONIO WILL NOT RETURN

Apostolic Delegate to United States Is Expected to Be Sent to Philippines.

PHILADELPHIA, July 6.—(Special.)—Although not officially announced it is declared on undoubted authority that Monsignor Diomede Falconio, the apostolic delegate to the United States, will not return to this country as the representative of the pope.

Monsignor Falconio sailed for Rome some weeks ago, after having received a message from Pius X. He gave no intimation that he would not return and it was generally thought that he would take up his duties again in Washington in the fall. This will not be the case, however.

There is a belief that Monsignor Falconio is to go to the Philippines to fill the post made vacant by the death of Cardinal Guidi.

Woman's League Elects Officers.

The Frances D. W. Harper league held its annual election yesterday afternoon in the Wylie Avenue African Methodist Episcopal church. It resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Maude Paul; first vice president, Mrs. Emma Moore; second vice president, Mrs. Sadie Hamilton; secretary, Mrs. Emma L. Anderson, assistant secretary, Mrs. Laura Brown; corresponding secretary, Mrs. M. J. Hunter; treasurer, Mrs. M. V. Brady; chaplain, Mrs. Luella Stewart.

Meetings at Tarentum Camp Ground.

The meetings at the Tarentum camp ground have opened and will continue this week and all next week. Evangelist H. H. Ryland is in charge and will preach every morning. Other ministers will assist. Many of the cottages at the grounds have been occupied and all will be filled in a short time.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Edwin F. Hodgetts	Cincinnati, O.
Elizabeth Hughes	Pittsburgh
Arthur Burkhart	Willock
Flora Gibbs	Willock
Nathaniel Byers	Perrysopolis
Daisy Strickler	Belle Vernon
Coleman Wallace	Pittsburgh
Della Heron	Allegheny
Edward A. Keen	Allegheny
Ellen Yancy	Allegheny
Fred T. Martone	Bridgeville
Mary Dunich	Bridgeville
Samuel H. Herring	McKees Rocks
Sadie Livingston	Pittsburgh
Lewis H. R. Foutk	Pittsburgh
Adiita C. Rockhill	Mt. Oliver
Addison Hatcher	Oakdale
Annie Branch	Oakdale
John Gannaway	Pittsburgh
Rose B. Loving	Pittsburgh
Wilbert Reed	Pittsburgh
Elizabeth Hughes	Pittsburgh
Fred Norris	Pittsburgh
Mary Lamkin	Allegheny
William J. Meckler	Allegheny
Nellie M. Cruikshank	Allegheny
Edward A. Walch	McKees Rocks
Emma Baker	McKees Rocks
Benjamin F. Beegle, Jr.	Allegheny
Ida F. Metz	Pittsburgh

SOCIETY

MISS VIOLA ALLEN will give a matinee benefit for the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Free Kindergarten association. Arrangements were made to that effect at the last meeting of the board of managers of the association, when word was received from Miss Allen that she would be very glad to play for the benefit of the free kindergartens of Pittsburgh and Allegheny during her engagement at the Nixon next season. The date of the matinee will be Wednesday afternoon, December 14. The planning of details was left until fall, the association resuming its monthly meetings in September. At that time committees will be appointed and a long list of patronesses prepared to assure the success of the benefit. Miss Allen will appear in a new revival of a Shakespearean play, and the signal success of her engagement in Pittsburgh a few months ago in Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night" calls forth large anticipations for her next appearance in this city.

The initial performance of "Everyman," the mystery play, was given last October in Pittsburgh in the Carnegie Music hall for the benefit of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Free Kindergarten association and added materially to the treasury of the association. The increased capacity of the Nixon theater and the popularity of Miss Allen would indicate even larger returns from the proposed matinee next December. The receipts will be devoted to the general work of the association, the support of the free kindergartens and the equipment and maintenance of the kindergarten college.

Women Made $1,400.

The women who attended the regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Homeopathic hospital yesterday morning were delighted with the report given of the entertainment held the middle of June in Oakmont for the benefit of the new hospital. Mrs. Francis E. Skelding reported returns amounting to $1,400. The entertainment, a rose fete, was given on the grounds at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Armstrong, and though many Pittsburgh women assisted, the principal workers were the women of Oakmont. Mrs. Omar Scott Decker had a booth devoted to the children's ward, the receipts to be used in the name of the children patients, the receipts, however, being included in the total of $1,400.

An extension is being added to the laundry in order to provide more room, and it will materially enlarge that feature of the management of the Homeopathic hospital. Mrs. S. Jarvis Adams, the first vice president, presided yesterday in the absence of the president, Mrs. William Thaw, who is in England, visiting her daughter, Lady Yarmouth. The aid society has changed the time of meeting from the afternoon to the morning.

Caldwell-Phillips.

WASHINGTON, PA., July 6.—(Special.)—Tonight Miss Walker Caldwell of Washington was married to Arthur Lee Phillips of Lebanon, Tenn. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. George P. Caldwell, the officiating clergyman being the Rev. Alexander Alison of the Second Presbyterian church of Washington. The immediate families of the contracting parties were the only guests present. Miss Caldwell was attended by her cousin, Miss Esther McKeever of Washington, as maid of honor. She was given away by her brother, Thomas Caldwell. H. A. Reed of Pittsburgh, a college friend of the groom, was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips left tonight on an extended honeymoon. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips will be at home at Lebanon after September 1.

Roberts-Harper.

NEW CASTLE, PA., July 6.—(Special.)—E. F. G. Harper and Miss Margaret Roberts, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. James E. Roberts, were married at the home of the bride's parents today by the Rev. J. Campbell of this city, assisted by the father of the bride. The attendants were Robert McBarney of this city and Miss Ida Pearsall of Greenville. A wedding supper was served and Mr. and Mrs. Harper left tonight on a wedding journey to the Pacific coast.

Many City Homes Closed.

Mrs. Edmund Morewood Ferguson and the Misses Ferguson closed their home in Fifth avenue, Shadyside, last week and are now in their summer home, Miramar, Fishers Island, Long Island sound.

Mr. and Mrs. William N. Frew have opened their summer home at Point Pleasant, N. J., where they will spend the entire season with their daughters and their son, William Frew. Several house parties will be entertained during the summer.

Mrs. W. Harry Brown left a week ago, with her children, for her summer home on the New England coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Baggaley and their children went a couple of weeks ago to remain throughout the season.

Members Will Meet at the Home.

The regular July meeting of the board of managers of the Boys' Industrial home in Oakdale will be held next Tuesday afternoon on the lawn at the home. The place was not as seriously affected by the storm and flood of a week ago as was feared, and the meeting will be held in Oakdale in order that the managers may personally inspect the institution and see the children on the farm. Strenuous efforts are being made to pay off the indebtedness on the farm within a few days. In the fall when the regular school year opens a special feature will be made of manual training, which was introduced some time ago. The managers expect to conduct this work on a very much larger scale the coming year and are planning improvements in that direction.

Engagement Announced at Luncheon.

Mrs. Louis Theodore Krebs of Somerset, Pa., gave a luncheon yesterday at which she announced the engagement of Miss Nell Louise Harrison and John Crosby Brydon. The luncheon was given at the home of Mrs. Krebs in the mountains, and the decorations were exquisite, consisting of bride's roses.

Miss Harrison is well known in Pittsburgh, as she has visited frequently in this city at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Grier McCutcheon, on Castleman street, Shadyside. She is the daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Charles J. Harrison of Somerset. Mr. Brydon is a son of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Brydon of Bordeside, Bloomington, Md., but is located in Somerset as general manager for the Somerset Coal Company. No date is spoken of for the wedding.

Bridge Whist for Mrs. Barnes.

Miss Collord gave a small bridge whist at her home in Fifth avenue yesterday afternoon for Mrs. John Barnes of Plainfield, N. J. Mrs. Barnes was Miss Amy Downes, and is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Downes, in North Highland avenue. She expects to leave for the east tomorrow. Miss Collord was one of Mrs. Barnes' bridesmaids a couple of years ago, and the guests who surrounded the four tables for bridge yesterday were some of the other girls in the wedding party and several other personal friends of Mrs. Barnes before her marriage. It was a very informal affair.

Home Wedding at Gibsonia.

At a pretty little home wedding at Gibsonia at noon yesterday were united in marriage Miss Zora Verne MacWilliams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. MacWilliams, and Roy Filsworth Artman of Tarentum, the Rev. Hilbert Johnson of Vandergrift officiating. Beth Reuben, the little niece of the bride, as flower girl, was the only attendant. Mr. and Mrs. Artman will make their home at 208 Wood street, Tarentum.

Breed-Williams.

BUTLER, PA., July 6.—(Special.)—This afternoon at the residence of the Rev. E. S. White, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, Miss Margaret Breed, a teacher in the Butler schools, and Rex Williams, teller at the Farmers National bank, were married. The bride was attended by Miss Grace Crawford of Allegheny and the groom by Prof. Frederick S. Breed of the Vandergrift schools, brother of the bride, and by Ralph Williams of Amos, W. Va.

Entertaining in Sewickley.

Mrs. James A. Huston of Quaker Valley will give a luncheon this afternoon for her niece, Miss Eleanor Huston. The guests will include 16 young girls and the luncheon will be followed by a bunch party.

Mrs. T. H. B. McKnight of Academy avenue, Sewickley, entertained with a tea at her home yesterday afternoon. It was a 4 o'clock affair and 80 guests were present.

For Benefit of Hawkins Home.

Col. Clark Council No. 11, Ladies of the G. A. R., will give a lawn fete on the Bradberry lawn, Columbia avenue and Hadley place, Allegheny, tomorrow evening for the benefit of the home at Hawkins station. Coffee, sandwiches, ice cream and cake will be served. In case of rain the fete will be postponed until Saturday evening.

The Guffeys Are Going to Bedford.

Mrs. James M. Guffey, who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. Jacob Black, in Clarion over the Fourth, will return to Pittsburgh this week, and next week the entire family will go to Bedford Springs for a stay of two or three weeks.

Will Sail on Kroonland.

Mr. and Mrs. William Watson Smith will leave tonight for New York, to sail on Saturday on the Kroonland for Hamburg, Germany, to spend the entire summer in European travel.

PERSONALS

Mayor James S. Wyman of Allegheny has been confined to his bed since Sunday by a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism. While he is subject to such attacks, the present one seems especially aggravated, and it is not believed that he will be able to again take up his duties for several days at least.

These Sewickley Y. M. C. A. Juniors went to the boys' camp at Fairview, Pa., yesterday to be gone until July 20: Randall Carson, Harry Campney, Charles Baird, Byers Hays, George Richardson, Charles McKnight, Dudley Hutchinson, Willis Sprague, Lester Abercrombie, Carl Agan, Craig Abercrombie, Willford Sprague, Ralph Tallant, Will Cunningham, Sill Allewelt, Will Cook, George Hays, Charles Willis, Charles Gordon, Karl Walker, Robert Wolcott, Dale Brush, Wilbur Walker, John Davis and Russell Hill.

Mayor Pelkenstein of McKeesport left for Saginaw, Mich., yesterday to attend a grand lodge meeting of the B. P. O. Elks.

There was an interesting family group on the Southwest Limited last night. It consisted of Senor F. Senillosa, his wife, three sons and two daughters, visitors from Buenos Ayres. The head of the family is a man of wealth and high social standing in Argentina, and has brought his family to the United States on an extended pleasure tour. Juan Antonio Senillosa, the eldest son, converses very fluently in English. He said: "The people of the United States do not begin to know as much about Argentina as we know of the United States. They think our country is inhabited by sluggish and ignorant natives, with a big negro element in the population. In fact, Argentina has a people of the purest blood, and contains no colored people whatever. So far from being slow and behindhand, we are fully abreast of the times and have pretty nearly every improvement known to the highest civilization. Buenos Ayres is one of the handsomest cities in the world, with over 1,000,000 inhabitants. The brightest people of other countries have taken up their residence there and the race for commercial honors is hotly contested for by Germans, Englishmen, Frenchmen, Spanish and Americans. As a consequence, many articles can be bought lower in our country than in the United States. But there is a sincere desire on the part of the people of Argentina to be on the best and most amicable terms with the citizens of your government. To that end we are sending many of our young men to American universities in order that they may be able to teach the youths of Argentina. The influence of the student element on the whole people is great, and it is essential that these students imbibe the highest ideals of government as well as receive the best training your institutions can give, so that they may exercise a beneficent influence at home."

A. H. Johnston of Charleston, W. Va., spent the past two days in Pittsburgh inspecting machinery. He is connected with an ax manufacturing firm which intends constructing a $2,000,000 plant, which will turn out a diversity of steel and iron products.

B. F. Probst, assistant manager of the Lincoln hotel, left last night on an extended pleasure trip through the eastern states and Canada.

F. C. Smith, manager of the Colonial hotel, returned yesterday from St. Louis, where he went to inspect the many hotels. He said: "I have traveled over 10,000 miles during the past two months, visiting different hotels. I have compiled my observations into a report which I will submit to the stockholders of the Colonial at a meeting some day next week."

Walter Lyon, formerly lieutenant governor, left last night for New York on a business trip.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

Residents of nearby towns at the local hotels last night were:

Duquesne—F. Lewis, Leetonia; W. M. Deisher, Reading.

Henry—M. S. Cox, Steubenville; A. J. Miller, Ellsworth; L. B. Hare, Fairmont; F. A. Pritchard, Manmington.

Monongahela House—J. W. Semans, Uniontown; James Kennedy, Youngstown; T. B. Trussell, Greensburg.

Lincoln—W. J. Brown, Wheeling.

Colonial—A. R. Schumaker, Franklin; J. F. Kennedy, Blairsville; G. G. Mead, Marietta; J. W. Weller, Zanesville.

Griswold—J. B. McEwan, Salem; F. J. Williams, Warnesboro.

Seventh Avenue—Thomas M. Murphy, Ridgway; T. Ross, Waynesburg; E. I. Ehrenfeld, California; N. J. Logan, Mercer.

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EKAS IS RELEASED.

Gave $10,000 Bail for a Hearing on a Charge of Embezzlement.

James H. Ekas, the former teller and bookkeeper of the National bank of Tarentum, who was arrested on Tuesday on a charge of being a defaulter to the extent of about $15,000, according to his own confession, was yesterday released in $10,000 bail for a hearing at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning before United States Commissioner Lindsey. Ekas returned to his home in Tarentum last night. He has retained Attorney J. A. Beatty to look after his case.

Information was made before Commissioner Lindsey by National Bank Examiner J. B. Cunningham yesterday morning, charging Ekas with embezzlement and making false entries in the bank books. Ekas, who had been in the custody of Detective W. H. Muncey since his arrest, was arrested on the second charge at Muncey's office by George S. Owens, a deputy United States marshal, and taken before the commission and the bail fixed. The warrant for Ekas' arrest was secured after John W. Hemphill, president of the Tarentum bank, had a conference with Mr. Cunningham.

It was reported last night that the amount asked for Ekas' release was furnished by Charles Ekas, George Holmes, Robert McIntosh and another friend of Ekas', all of whom are residents of Tarentum.

Shot Was Accidental.

The mystery resulting from the wounding of Mrs. Angelina Wier, the 17-year-old bride who was taken to the Homeopathic hospital on Tuesday suffering from a dangerous bullet wound in her leg, was cleared up yesterday, when her husband visited the hospital and stated that his wife told him she accidentally shot herself while examining his revolver. It was thought she had been shot by a former suitor.

BOYS TO STUDY CIVICS.

Kingsley House Forum Club Proposes to Increase Its Membership.

The Kingsley House Forum club, composed of boys over 15 years of age, held a special meeting last evening, when a committee was appointed by the president to secure new members. The committee consists of Peter Glick, chairman; Sol Leff, Sol Finkelhor, William Lichenstul and Joseph Wilner.

The club has now a membership of 20 boys, and already there are 30 applications. It will meet its next year on the first Monday evening in August, and civic topics will be discussed each week. The club will meet in the large club room on the second floor of Kingsley House just opposite the game room, and it is hoped that all the boys will join. Sol Finkelhor will have charge of all applications. Changes will be made in the constitution of the club to suit the new conditions and enlarged membership and the next season promises to be a flourishing one for the Forum club. In the club are some very bright boys, and under their leadership the live topics of the day will be handled in a very interesting manner.

The officers of the Forum club include Peter Glick, president; William Lichenstul, vice president; Sol Finkelhor, treasurer; Joseph Wilner, financial secretary; Joseph Cohen, recording secretary, and Sol. Leff, trustee or sergeant-at-arms.

The club is one of the means which Kingsley House offers to interest the men and boys of that neighborhood and already its influence is spreading throughout that section of the city.

Venezuela Orders Light War Vessels.

CARACAS, VENEZUELA, July 6.—The Venezuelan government has ordered of the agent of the Hamburg-American Steamship Company a war vessel to cost $600,000 to be built somewhat after the style of the Princessin Victoria Luise.

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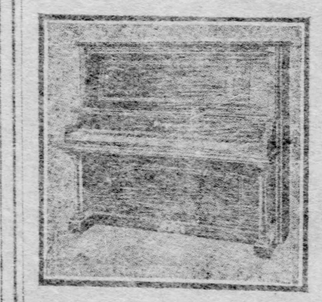

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Americus Brothers Plead Self-Defense to the Charge of Killing Otto E. Vail.

ROUTINE OF COUNTY COURTS

David Warhoff, a furniture dealer, was the first witness for the commonwealth when court opened for the trial of Harry and Louis Americus and David Ross, charged with the murder of Otto E. Vail. Warhoff was useful in identifying the prisoners as men he saw near the laundry about the time of the fight. Harry Americus told of a fight he had with Vail on April 8 when he said Vail struck him with a brick. On April 11, when Vail was fatally injured, he said he saw Vail and "a fat fellow" on Crawford street near the laundry. Vail made a derogatory remark about his race and offered to fight. Americus did not want to, but finally agreed to a fair fist fight, and soon there were cries of "Kill the Jews and niggers," and the air was full of bricks. The witness swore he did not know his brother and Ross were in the crowd until after the fight. He told of how he spent the night and of his arrest. The latter he thought was for assault and battery as he had heard that Vail was getting along nicely and did not know until later that he was dead.

Louis Americus said he was at his stable when he saw a crowd running down Crawford street and heard shouts of "a fight." He ran in the direction the crowd was going and saw Harry fighting with Vail. He rushed in to separate them when Huntley hit him with the heavy end of a whip and then Ross ran up and took the whip. A severe examination failed to shake the story.

Brick Came from Crowd.

Ross was the next witness. He said he was coming back from a feed store when he saw Harry and Vail fighting. He went to separate them when, during the scuffle, a gendarme, who was in the midst of which some one on the outside of the crowd threw a brick which struck Vail, and he staggered into the laundry. Both he and the Americus brothers were mad, he said, and had no bricks in their hands. He also successfully withstood a searching cross-examination.

Max Goldberg of 1524 Forbes street, corroborated Ross with reference to his visit to the feed store and Samuel Hoffman, with reference to the visit of Louis and Ross to his barber shop. Philip Americus, a 15-year-old brother, said he notified Louis and Ross to go to the Golden House after the detective called at his home.

Howard Wilson detailed the provocation for the fight of April 6 and the bad language used by Vail toward the Hebrews. Henry Silverman, the defendants' brother-in-law, told about the bricks coming from outside of the crowd and Harry's offer to fight a fair fight if Vail would lay down his bricks. The same story about the brick coming from the crowd and the one which was thrown by a red-haired young man" was told by David Benjamin, Mrs. Robert Mead, Rebecca Alder, Charles L. Weiss, Robert E. Allen, Abraham Waiter, Samuel Alpern and Joseph Summerman, all of whom said they witnessed the fight. Joseph Silverman, a cousin, said Vail two days before the fight showed him a handy billy and told him that "if he saw crape on the Americus family home he could be sure there was a double funeral on it."

Several witnesses who testified to the good character of the defendant's ware put on the stand, many pictures were offered in evidence and the defense rested its case.

The motion to quash the bill, at which the attorneys made their addresses and the judge gave his charge, the jury retiring to deliberate upon its verdict at 10:30 o'clock.

Plaintiff's Right Denied.

In the case of the administrator of the estate of W. C. Scorer against the executor of the estate of A. D. Scorer, Judge Buffington handed down an opinion in the United States court yesterday. The plaintiff had been given a verdict subject to the point of law as to whether the plaintiff had shown legal right to recover. Judge Buffington decided against the plaintiff. The case involved questions of jurisdiction. Several technical points were raised for the defense. Judge Buffington decides that the United States court had jurisdiction and that the plaintiff is entitled to judgment, as the defendant has not entered an appearance and the case has been in court for three terms.

An opinion in the stated case of Lindsay W. King, for use, against Walton W. King, executor, et al., No. 1, May Term, 1904, in a dispute about a credit for taxes paid, J. J. Teagarten also putting in a claim for it. The money, $170 02, was paid into court and Judge Shafer finds that Teagarten is entitled to it. The suit against the estate of the Duquesne Way dock has been continued until July 16, when the Monongahela Coal and Coke Company expects to have its machinery removed.

Judge Shafer has filed opinions for the use of the dock brought the statement from Judge Shafer that as far as he could see the court had no power to do so.

Divorces were granted to Albert R. Ramlan from Jane Ramlan, on the grounds of desertion, and Ida B. Speidel from Emil Speidel on the grounds of cruelty.

A Question of Negligence.

Judge Mecling sustained the demurrer filed by the defendant in the suit of the Dollar Savings Fund and Trust Company against the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company, an action to recover $10,000 damages on the ground that the defendant company had negligently permitted its stock certificates to be available to a dishonest clerk. The plaintiff company had loaned Lillian Alward $7,100, accepting as collateral security a certificate for 75 shares of the defendant company's stock. The certificate afterward proved to be invalid for want of the registration of the Union Trust Company, and it was declared that it had been, however, contained a forged certificate to that effect. The certificate bore the bona-fide signatures of the president and secretary and that of the treasurer of the company, and purported to have been issued to Charles H. Alward and assigned by him to Lillian Alward. The former is now in the penitentiary in connection with the offense. The bank was unable to collect the money due on the loan.

The defendant, in its demurrer, set forth that the plaintiff did not show a case of negligence on the defendant's part, but had been negligent in failing to ascertain if the certificate had been registered as required. Judge Mecling, in passing upon the opinion, said:

"That where one or two innocent persons must suffer from the fault of a third the loss must be borne by the one whose negligence permitted the fraud to be committed. That fraud is a generalization sanctioned by use for considerably more than a century, but like many another excellent rule, its application calls for discretion and discrimination, and when the failure to exercise due care which he owes to himself, fully as imperative as any owed to him by defendant, and thus alone, brings himself within the scope of the effects of defendant's negligence, he cannot be heard to say that defendant's negligence and not his own was the proximate cause of his loss."

Fight for an Estate.

In the equity suit of Findley Gilkeson against Mrs. Euphemia Thompson and others, Mrs. Thompson and her daughter, Rebecca B. Thompson, have filed answer. They admit that an assignment of the mortgage given in the purchase of the John D. Long farm was made to the Mt. Washington Savings and Trust Company for $76,000 cash. The deed was conveyed to prudent one by them and their advisers, and that they were willing to take $5,000 less than its face value in view of the presumption that the payments of interest would be defaulted by the estate of W. L. Craig. They deny the assignment of the mortgage to them without consideration. However, they admit the assignment was without money consideration. The answer relates that John D. Long was married, and since 1897 has had little to do with his sisters or nephews or nieces and had no warm ties for any relatives. The Thompsons were members of his household for 23 years and Rebecca B. who is made the principal beneficiary, occupied the position of a child to a father with Long. It is alleged his mental faculties were unimpaired and the disposition of his wealth was at his own volition and upon the advice of his counsel, A. G. Smith. They deny any fraud or duress. At the time of the assignment of the mortgage they say they gave bond for the payment of the interest to him and to care for him during the rest of his life.

Amanda M. Robinson, late of Pittsburgh, makes a number of bequests and then directs that the residue of her $8,000 estate be placed into nine shares for her brothers and sister. She leaves $500 to the Homeopathic hospital, to be used as directed by Dr. C. P. Seip, who attended her there.

The following executions were issued yesterday: Elizabeth Harris vs. Flora E. Stinson et al., $1,693 50; William Martin vs. A. E. Panach, $420 50; David R. Miller vs. Daniel W. Wells, $7,030 92; Heller & Ferrin vs. Joseph Pirtle et al., $337 50; First National bank, Allegheny, vs. John C. Connor, $634 35; Bollinger, Bros. vs. Dilworth Coal Company, $1,053 75; W. A. Orr vs. Lena Myers, $284 44; G. V. L. Wilkinson vs. Anton Idehka, $2,380 04; Charles Honsinger vs. same, $1,803 42.

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City and Suburban.

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City and Suburban.

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Allegheny.

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Lowest Rents in the City.

$30 for new 7-room modern brick house near Second ave.; all conveniences, including bath, both gases, hot and cold water, cemented laundry, nice front porch and sodded lawn, painted, grained and papered throughout.

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$27.50—Frame house, 7 rooms and attic, reception hall, bath, gas, range, laundry, on paved street near Second ave.

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$10—3-room frame, near Second ave., good location, good cellar, gas and water.

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For further information see
SAMUEL W. BLACK & CO.,
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Branch office No. 4862 Second ave., opposite Flowers ave. Open evenings until 8:30.

763	Herron ave., 5 rooms, bath	$ 25
764	Herron ave., 5 rooms, bath	30
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Bellevue—10 rooms, modern		65
Edgewood—9 rooms, modern		45
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HOME TRUST COMPANY.
Wood street and Sixth avenue.

FOR RENT—318 Park ave.; brick house, 7 rooms, water, gases, etc.; $18 per month. See Commonwealth Real Estate Company, 327-329 Fourth ave.

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MORTGAGE BANKING CO.,
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FOR RENT—Neville st., near Bayard; attractive house, 11 rooms, all conveniences; possession at once if desired. See
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BEAUTIFUL EDGEWOOD HOME
Modern 9-room house, beautifully situated in most desirable neighborhood; lot 100x200; shade and fruit trees, water, gas, electric lights, large bathroom, 2 inside w. c.'s, fine laundry, furnace, etc.; also screens and awnings; will rent furnished or unfurnished. Inquire 622 Penn ave., Pittsburgh.

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SEND card for complete list of East End houses and apartments and map, free.
S. H. LLOYD,
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FOR RENT—A very nice brick house of 8 rooms; all newly papered; in Kingston block on Beech ave.; also good 6-room house on Boyle st., near park.
W. L. SCOTT & CO., 300 Federal st.

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950 Morrison ave., Allegheny, frame house of 6 rooms; both gases, water rent $16.
W. L. SCOTT & CO.,
300 Federal st., Allegheny.

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5-room house, all conveniences	21 00
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Fine new storeroom, good location	40 00

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Very Pleasant Apartments.

One flat left—5 rooms and bath in the "Glencoe," Fifth ave., near California ave. Allegheny; light, hall janitor service, awnings, screens and shades furnished. $20.
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NICE FOUR-ROOM FLAT.
For Rent in Edgerton Apartments, Brighton Road, Allegheny, one flat of 4 rooms and bath; range, hot and cold water, gas, $18 a month.
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APOLLO BLDG., Fourth Ave., Near Wood. Fine, well lighted offices, single or en suite; elevator service; rates reasonable.
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WORKROOM, office space and use of windows on best business corner in East End, use of 'phone, etc., and all conveniences; rent cheap. Apply by letter, S 173, The Gazette.

$60 PER MONTH; Home Trust Bldg.; large office, 18x22½ ft.; Wood st. front.
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Wood St. and Sixth Ave.

FOR RENT—Suite of offices, 2 rooms; possession at once; also office furniture for sale. Inquire Supt. German National Bank Bldg.

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DESK ROOM in well appointed office, every convenience, rent reasonable. 1218 Empire building.

DESK room or small office, with use of telephone, in fire proof building; state character of your business. Address S 174, The Gazette.

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JUST THINK ABOUT THIS.

For 5 SOLID BRICK HOUSES, now renting for $802 A YEAR,
Located on PRIDE STREET, in heart of "HILL" District, between FIFTH AVE. and FORBES ST. Large level lot, 24x108 FEET.
WE SELL $1,000 DAILY in Hills buy.
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ARONSON BLDG., 648 FIFTH AVE.
THEY MAKE MONEY FOR OTHERS;
THEY WILL MAKE MONEY FOR YOU.

FOR SALE—Shadyside; new and modern house of 14 rooms, 4 bathrooms, large grounds, the best residence property that is offered for sale in East End district; finished in mahogany and oak throughout; this property was designed and built for high-class home and will fully meet requirements of anyone looking for strictly good place; price $37,500.
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Wood street and Sixth avenue.

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HOME TRUST COMPANY,
Wood St. and Sixth Ave.

FOR SALE—We have a number of new seven-room frame houses in an excellent suburb, within 20 minutes' car ride of the postoffice. We will sell a lot in exchange if desired, and the balance on monthly payments
MORTGAGE BANKING CO.,
423 Fourth ave.

BARGAINS in houses and lots. Trodo, 624 Homewood ave., East End.

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FOR SALE—N. Highland ave.; the best located property on this choice avenue is offered at great sacrifice; a very good frontage improved with modern, up-to-date 12 room, brick laundry, everything complete; this is a rare chance to secure a fine house on very reasonable terms; we are instructed to offer the above for the next 30 days at $9,000.
HOME TRUST COMPANY,
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GEORGE R. KELLY,
6209 Penn ave., Bell 144 High; P. & A., 357-E
A nice frame of 8 rooms on
Bond st., a few doors from Highland ave.
A bargain if sold quick.
$5,500 IS THE PRICE.

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FOR SALE—New house, two-story, attic, cellar, 8 rooms, bath, pantry, 1500 Banner st., McKeesport, Pa., $2,600; easy terms.
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BROADEST MARKET FOR MONTHS IN NEW YORK

London Was a Heavy Buyer and the Advance in Prices Was Well Distributed—Improvement on the Pittsburgh Exchange.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The New York stock market yesterday was the broadest that has been witnessed for months. The sales exceeded 800,000 shares, and while this total is much smaller than that of March 29 last, which stands for the record so far this year, the market yesterday was better than in March, when the great bulk of the dealings was in Union and Southern Pacific. There was great activity in a few leaders yesterday, but the whole list shared in the gain, and the business was well distributed in both the railroad and industrial groups. Wall street had the benefit of the strong quotations sent by London, which were from ¼ to 1 per cent higher, and they were accompanied by larger buying orders than for a long time past. During the early part of the session London was credited with purchases footing up 50,000 shares, principally the standard railroad stocks and Steel preferred, but final quotations in New York were gains of ¾@4¾ per cent, and the dealings during the first two hours approximated 500,000 shares. During the midday session there was a lull, and some profit-taking caused a moderate reaction throughout the list, in the last hour foreigners resumed their buying, which gave the upward movement a fresh impetus, and closing prices were almost invariably higher, in some instances the net gains being the largest since the squeeze of the shorts in the Pacific stocks, following the decision in the Northern Securities case.

The change in sentiment was so pronounced that some of the professional traders took advantage of the early rise to sell. The strength was well sustained, however, and the professionals then swung over to the bull side in earnest. One prominent operator personally appeared on the exchange and bid up the price of the better class of investment stocks, and was credited with buying more than 25,000 shares of Pennsylvania under his. After this buying ceased the stock receded slightly, but later recovered and advanced to 118¾, closing at the top. An enormous amount of Union Pacific appeared for sale just under 92, but the market absorbed all the stock and the price advanced to 92½. Southern Pacific rose to 48, recovering all the loss occasioned two weeks ago by the announcement of a proposed issue of preferred stock, and Atchison, St. Paul and Rock Island also shared in the upward movement. Some of the lower-priced issues like the Erie, Ontario & Western and Reading finally joined in the advance and closed strong.

The tractions were less active, relatively than the remainder of the list, but Brooklyn Rapid Transit finally crossed the 70 mark and closed at 70½ bid. It was reported that the company had sold $10,000,000 of its bonds on favorable terms, and by some sort of reasoning this was construed as bullish on the stock.

United States Steel common opened higher at 10¾, and easily rose to 11, suggesting that shorts were covering. The preferred was strong all day and advanced to 88¾, closing at 87¾ bid. The sinking fund bonds advanced to 77¾ and closed at the top. Amalgamated Copper was active for laggard, but left in the day it was understood that all grades of copper had been advanced an eighth of a cent a pound and the stock rose to 51¾.

If investors and speculators were asked to give a good reason why they bought stocks yesterday or why they generally refused to buy last week when prices were 1 to 3 per cent lower, they might encounter some difficulty. There has been little change in actual business conditions, and no trustworthy news save that bearing on the cotton crop, which is certainly very favorable, yet there seems to have been a striking change in sentiment regarding the outcome of the Democratic national convention. Early in the day Wall street professed to have reliable information that Parker would be nominated on the second ballot, and that a "gold plank" would be inserted in the platform. This information being evidently cabled to London, and was thought to be responsible for the investment buying from that center. There was another factor which was given little attention, but which, nevertheless, probably had something to do with the market. This is the July interest and dividend money that is coming into the market, not only in the United States, but in London. The accumulation of cash in the Bank of France is the largest on record, and French bankers are large lenders in London, which serves to keep the money market at the latter center easy. In New York the banks are gaining from the sub-treasury, the net gain since last Friday amounting to $2,500,000, and call money was a drug yesterday at 1¼@1½ per cent. The supply of first-class bonds is becoming exhausted, and there is now an inflow of investment funds in the better class of stocks.

There was a further decline in cotton and a further advance in grain yesterday, but those markets were subordinate to the new interest taken in stocks.

On the Pittsburgh exchange there was an increase in business and a firmer tone to prices, and the market closed steady to strong. The largest dealings were in Westinghouse Electric, which advanced a dollar a share to 79½ and closed at 79. A small lot of Allouez sold at 120, which was unchanged from the last previous sale, but an advance of 4 points over the closing bid of the day before. Crucible Steel preferred was strong, advancing to 86¾, while the common held firm at 44. United States Steel sold at 43¾, a gain of 1¼ on sales of 500 shares. There was very little doing in the coal stocks, but River preferred was lower, being offered at 21 at the close. Philadelphia Company common advanced a dollar a share to 29½, while Light and Heat was a fraction lower at 29.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

25 U. S. Stl.com.	10	100 Phila. com..	29½
10 do	10½	12 do	29¾
50 do	10¾	21 do	29¾
10 M. L. & H.	30	10 do	29¾
85 Brewing pfd.	43½	50 U. S. Stl. pfd.	87
100 Phila. com.	29¼	50 do	87¼

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

8 Crucible pfd.	86¾	3 P. Coal pfd.	87¼
50 do	86¾	15 do	87¼
100 do	86¾	100 Brewing com.	24½
75 do	86¾	100 do	24½
90 do	86¾	85 do	24½
50 do	86¾	100 do	24½
25 do	86¾	15 do	24½
50 do	86¾	$8512.50 P. Coal	
20 Electric 2nds.	78½	div. scrip	161¾
50 do	79¼	$17.50 do	161¾
50 do	79¼	7 U. S. Stl. pfd.	87¼
50 do	79¼	25 do	88
50 do	79¼	40 Crucible com.	44½
50 do	79¼	50 do	44¾
10 do	79¼	2 P. Coal com.	24
100 do	79¾	23 do	24¼
50 do	79¾	9 do	24
50 do	79¾	50 U. L. & H.	29
100 do	79¼	50 Brewing pfd	45½
300 do	79½	35 do	45¾
10 P. Coal pfd.	87¾	8 do	45¾
43 do	87¾	15 Un. Trac. pfd.	48¾
50 do	87½	10 U. S. Stl. com.	10⅝
10 do	87¼	10 W. Airbrake	129
2 do	87½	11 Colonial Tr.	125

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

100 U. S. Stl. com.	11	2 Brewing pfd.	45½
25 Brewing pfd.	45½	10 Electric 2nds.	79
5 do	45½	25 P. Proof pfd.	28
1 do	45½	10 do	28

2:00 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

25 Crucible pfd.	86¾	10 Brewing com.	24¾
15 do	86¾	15 M. L. & H.	30
100 U. S. Stl. com.	10¾	50 Crucible com.	44½
100 do	11	5 H.-W. Ref. pfd.	51
100 Un. Trac. pfd.	48¾	50 Electric 2nds.	79
10 Brewing com.	24½	50 do	79

Summary.

Shares.	High.	Low.	Last Sales	Ch'ge.
805 Brewing	24½	24½	24½	+ ½
178 Do preferred	45½	45½	45½	+ ½
140 Crucible steel	44¾	43¾	44¾	0
425 Do preferred	86¾	86¾	86¾	+ ⅝
75 Fleischmann pfd	28	28	28	+ 1
5 H. W. Ref. pfd	51	51	51	0
135 Mfrs. L. & H.	30	30	30	⅛
200 Phila. Co.	29½	29¼	29¼	+ ¼
84 Pgh. Coal	14½	14	14	+ ¼
100 Do preferred	87½	87½	87½	⅛
500 U. S. Steel	11	10	11	+ 1
227 Do preferred	88	87	88	+ 1⅛
15 United Trac. pfd	48¾	48¾	48¾	0
10 West. Airbrake	129	129	129	0
1263 West. El. 2ds.	79½	78½	79	+ ½
BANK STOCKS.				
14 Colonial Trust	325	325	325	—25
3603				
		SCRIP		
$630 P. Coal div.	161¾	161¾	161¾	0

*Less than 10 shares. †New high mark. ‡Per cent.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Arsenal Bank	50	135	
Bank of Pittsburgh	50	142	145
Farmers Deposit National	100		1900
Fidelity National	100		160
Metropolitan National	100	180	
Traders and Mechanics	25	70	
Pennsylvania National	100		180
Fidelity Title and Trust	100		165
Iron City Trust	100	115	120
Allegheny Trust, Ally	100		150
Dollar Sav. Fund and Trust	100	285	
Allegheny Insurance	10		65
Birmingham Insurance	50	68	
Ben Franklin Insurance	50	75	
Mfrs. Light and Heat	50	29¾	
Ohio Fuel Supply	100	20	
Peoples Pipage	25	20	
Luster Mining	10	11	11½
West. Electric 2d preferred	50	79	79½
Consolidated Steel	100	5¾	
Crucible Steel	100	4¾	5
Do preferred	100	36¾	36¾
Monongahela River Coal	50	8¾	
Do preferred	50	20½	21
Marshall Brick	100	3¾	3¾
National Fire Proofing	50	7¾	8
Do preferred	50	28	
Philadelphia Co.	50	29¼	
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	24¾	25
Do preferred	50	45¾	
Pittsburgh Coal	100	14¾	
Do preferred	100	87¾	87½
Pittsburgh Juice and Range	100	4	
Standard Underground Cable	100	184	200
United States Steel	100	10¾	
Do preferred	100	87¾	88
Westinghouse, Allegheny	100	117	120
Monongahela Incline	50	32	
Am. Sewer Pipe	100	19½	20½
BONDS.			
R., K. & A. Traction 6s		113	114
P., McK. & Y. Con. 1st 5s		98	98¾
Monongahela River Coal 6s			111
P., B. & L. E. Con. 5s		110½	
Pittsburgh Brewing 5s		111¾	
Pittsburgh-Buffalo 5s		190	191
American Sewer Pipe 6s		95¾	

*Ex-dividend.

LOCAL BANK CALL.

At the call of local bank and trust company stocks yesterday the only sale was 14 shares Colonial Trust at 325. Following were unposted quotations on small lots:

	Bid.	Asked.
Federal National (new)		160
Colonial Trust	325	335
Lincoln National	240	245
Pgh. City Trust	110	120
Mortgage Banking		125
Union Trust	2,200	2,300
Safe Deposit & Trust		390
Home Trust	120	144
Real Estate S. & T., Allegheny	120	130
Dollar Savings Fund & Trust	285	
Franklin Savings & Trust		52
Farmers Deposit National		1,900
Metropolitan National	100	
Industrial National		125
Exchange National		82
German-American Sav. & Trust	152	155
Commonwealth Trust		120
Ben Franklin		110
Pennsylvania National		180
Diamond National		425
Merchants Savings & Trust		55
Bank of Pittsburgh, N. A.	142	145
Keystone Bank	335	350
Continental Trust	80	95
Guarantee Title & Trust		176
South Side Trust		110½
Second Ward Bank	625	
Monongahela National	300	

NOTES AND COMMENT.

On the local stock exchange yesterday the impression prevailed that a considerable proportion of the buying of Westinghouse Electric, United States Steel common and Crucible preferred was for London account. These were the strongest stocks and furnished two-thirds of the total business. The bulk of the trading occurred during the first half of the session. During the afternoon the offerings of stocks were light, and any increase in demand would have been followed by a still further rise. Owing to the narrowness of the local market there is little inducement for speculative trading, but persons with lots of patience are beginning to inquire into some of the very low-priced stocks with the view to laying away a few hundred shares and waiting for the value to enhance.

The coal stocks did not share in the improving tendency. Pittsburgh common sold to the extent of only 44 shares at 14¼ to 14⅜, and the marketing of 100 shares of the preferred at 87½ required seven separate transactions. The latter closed at 87⅜ bid, 87½ asked. River Coal preferred 20 not sold, but the stock was offered down to 21 and closed with 20½ the best bid. The bonds were offered at 111.

Philadelphia Company common was firmer, 200 shares selling at 29½. Manufacturers Light & Heat was lower, selling at 30 and closing at 29¾ bid.

Pittsburgh Brewing stocks were firmer, the common selling at 24¾ and the preferred closing at 45¾ bid. The bonds were quoted at 111¾ bid.

A small lot of Pittsburgh Coal preferred dividend scrip sold at 191½, the highest yet quoted.

"Moorehead's Quarterly Record" for July is double the size of the April number, and is the most complete and handy reference book of Pittsburgh securities ever published.

The clearances on the Pittsburgh stock exchange for June foot up $3,378 shares, compared with 127,176 shares in May and 349,511 shares for June, 1903.

The gross earnings of 9 roads for the last week in June show an average increase of 3.34 per cent.

Accompanying the strength and activity in Union Pacific was a rumor that the draft of the Northern Securities decision in the so-called Harriman suit had been prepared. The matter is in the hands of Judge Bradford in the shape of a request for a permanent injunction against the Northern Securities directors plan of dissolving the Northern Securities Company, pending an appeal to the higher courts. While the continuance of the injunction would still leave the facts to be tried, it is believed that Judge Bradford has gone into the question of facts very closely and is expected to render a decision which will deal with these pretty thoroughly. Should the injunction be dissolved it is expected that the Northern Securities Company will at once put into effect the Hill plan of dissolution. It is said that Mr. Harriman would have to claim damages if he persisted in litigation. Union Pacific people, however, expect the injunction to be continued.

The absorption of New York stocks on the rise yesterday was said to be by some of the most powerful interests in the street.

The Pittsburgh Insurance Company has declared dividend No. 93, being $4 a share for the past half year.

The Birmingham Fire Insurance Company has declared a semi-annual dividend of $2.25 a share, payable on demand.

One of the largest New York brokerage houses was carrying for its customers at least 50,000 shares of Rock Island com'mon, and a much larger quantity of Steel preferred, at the beginning of the year. They are carrying practically none of either of these stocks now, and have very little open speculatively for the rise, although they have been good buyers. They naturally claim that a lot of stock has gone out of the market.

The gross earnings of Wabash for the last week in June increased $115,472.

For the first five months of 1904 the Pennsylvania railroad shows the lowest net earnings for four years. Since 1899, in the first five months of the year, the total increased in net earnings from $7,220,125 to $14,238,458 in 1902, and it has now fallen to $11,115,758. In other words it has lost roughly $3,000,000 of a $7,000,000 increase.

During June 45 national banks were organized, with capital of $2,186,000, and during the fiscal year 138 national banks, with a capital of $22,479,000.

The sales of municipal bonds in June, according to the Bond buyer's figures, were $28,-795,580, against $58,241,455 a year ago. For six months the sales aggregated $219,488,247, against $107,017,076.

FEATURES OF THE DAY.

IN PITTSBURGH.

Bank exchanges were $7,611,989, a decrease of $887,000.

Improved demand and better prices on the stock exchange.

Westinghouse Electric rallied a dollar to 79½ and closed at 79.

Crucible Steel preferred rallied to 36⅞ and the common held firm at 4½.

United States Steel common advanced to 11 and the preferred to 58.

River Coal preferred offered down to 21, with 20½, the best bid.

IN WALL STREET.

Stock market active and prices advanced all along the line.

The sales aggregated 805,300 shares stock.

London investors estimated to have taken fully 75,000 shares.

All the United States Steel issues were active, firm and higher.

Pennsylvania advanced to 118⅝, the highest price since last April.

All the standard railroad issues closed strong at net gains.

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

Two new veins have been discovered in the tenth level of the old Victor mine on Bull cliff, Cripple Creek. While both are large, they only carry values in the seams.

The second building to Tonopah is now within six miles of the camp, and it is expected will be completed by July 15.

Salt Lake Tribune—It would be hard to find two more enthusiastic goldfield boomers than F. G. Cleveland & Co., two Wall street brokers, who went down into Nevada two weeks ago prepared to discount everything they had heard and came away determined to offer Tonopah and Goldfield stocks to all their Wall street clients. "See this," said Mr. Weir at the Knutsford yesterday afternoon as he produced a small piece of white quartz covered with yellow mud. There was nothing whatever in the appearance of this specimen to suggest millionaire values, yet it was some of the best ore found in the Jumbo mine at Goldfield. "Now look at this," continued Mr. Weir, as he took out a little pocket microscope. "Charles F. Schwab, with the compliments of Key Pittman, Kane lease on the Jumbo." The lid was removed and a thimbleful of fine gold was disclosed in the bottom of the box.

"That's actual weight," said Mr. Weir, "that gold is worth $20 67, and it was panned out of three pounds of this rock in a few minutes. I saw it done myself. I am taking it to Mr. Schwab for Mr. Pittman."

The concentrator at the Velvet-Portland mine, 20 miles southwest of Rossland, B. C., will start July 15. The plant will handle 50 tons of ore a day. The ore will be concentrated and piled up to be smelted later on by a small smelter, which the company will put up, when the concentrator is seen to work satisfactorily. The mine is developed to the depth of about 75 tons a day and will be put in, probably, this fall. The company will receive no returns from the ore until the smelter is installed.

The Brown-Alaska Company's copper smelter on Prince of Wales island, Alaska, will blow in about August 1. The last touches are being put on the plant, and the smelter and mine are being connected by a Bleichart tramway. Capable carrying 50 tons an hour. The smelter will have a capacity of 400 tons a day. The company is composed of B. D. Brown of New York, E. H. Morrison of Fairfield Wash., and S. I. Silverman. "The Cleveland (O.) people, who own a property on the island, have resumed work and have developed to a depth of 150 feet. They claim to have a ledge over 50 feet wide, averaging better than 6 per cent copper. Copper mountain, on the opposite side of the island, is showing activity. Mellen & Reynolds of Alaska are working their property. A Pittsburgh syndicate is finishing a 250-ton smelter, which will be completed this fall. The property owned by the Pittsburgh people was under bond to some Butte, (Mont.) people two years ago, but, owing to the heavy slump in copper, it was thrown up.

The total production of the Greene Consolidated Copper Company for June amounted to 3,530,000 pounds, an increase of 124,000 pounds over May.

PITTSBURGH INDUSTRIAL EXCHANGE.

Sales:

2000 Horseshoe	$ .07½
1000 Hidden Fortune	.13
100 Montana Tonopah	2.60
500 Tonopah Midway	.73

	Bid.	Asked.
Aurora Cons.	.06	.08
Black Butte M. Co.	1.60	1.70
Black Diamond Copper	.65	.75
Bismarck Nugget Gulch	.18	.23
Columbus Cons.	.14	.17
*El Paso Cons. G. M. Co.	.86	.88
*Daily-West	23.50	24.50
*Grand Central	4.50	5.00
Greene Cons. Copper Co.	14.85	15.20
Hidden Fortune M. Co.	.12	.13½
Horseshoe M. Co.	.06	.08
*Mine La Motte	8.50	8.85
*Montana Tonopah	2.50	2.70
Pur Value G. M. Co.	.06	.12½
*Portland C. M. Co.	1.65	1.80
*Sacramento	.12	.17
*Silver King	50.00	90.00
Smuggler M. Co.	.02	.07
Tonopah Extension	1.05	1.35
Tonopah Midway	.65	.70
Treadwell, Geo. A.	7.50	8.50
Twentieth Century	.90	1.40
*Utah Cons.	26.00	28.00
*Vindicator Cons.	.62	.80
Virginia C. M. Co.	.04	.07
Dabney Oil Co.	.15	.25
Great Chief Oil Co.	1.10	1.25

*Dividend payers.

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Masten & Co.)

STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Bid.
Allouez	8¾	8¾	8¾	....
Adventure	1¼	1⅜	1¼	....
Atlantic	7⅛	8	7⅛	....
Cal. & Arizona	108	....	....	108
Cal. & Hecla	460	465	460	....
Centennial	21	21	20⅝	....
Cal. & Pgh.	*28	*30	....	28
Franklin	7⅝	7½	7½	....
Humboldt Dev. Co.	*105	120	105	110
L. Sup. & Pgh. Dev.	*27	*30	....	27
Mohawk	41⅜	41½	41	....
Osceola	61¾	61¾	61¾	....
Old Dominion	12½	12⅝	12½	....
Pgh. and Duluth	*30	....	....	30
Range Consolidated	43½	43⅝	43½	....
Trinity	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	....
United Fruit	*103	103¾	103	....
Utah	37⅞	37⅞	38½	....
U. S. Mining	21¾	21¾	21¾	....
Winona	7¼	7¾	7	....

*Bid. †Asked.

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con.	20	Little Chief	.05
Alice	26	Ontario	2.60
Breece	10	Ophir	2.90
Brunswick Con.	.65	Potosi	.22
Commerce Tunnel	.07	Potosi	.11
Con. Cal. & Va.	1.05	Savage	.25
Horn Silver	1.30	Sierra Nevada	.22
Iron Silver	1.50	Small Hopes	.02
Leadville Con.	.02	Standard	2.05

*Assessment paid.

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	High.	Low.	Last Sale.
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Atlantic Coast Line 4s	98½	97⅝	98½
B. & O. gold 4s	103⅝	103	103⅝
B. R. T. con. 4s	78⅜	77⅜	78⅛
Central of Ga. con. 5s	112	111	111
Do 1st Inc.	75	74	75
Do 2d Inc.	37	36	37
C. B. & Q. joint 4s	96⅝	96	96⅝
C. R. I. & P. gen. 4s	103⅝	103½	103⅝
C. R. I. & P. R. R. 4s	79⅜	78⅝	79⅜
Do 5s	80⅝	80½	80⅜
Con. Gas 6s	173½	172½	173
Con. Tobacco 4s	62½	62⅝	62⅜
Distillers 5s	65½	64¾	65¼
Erie-Penna. Coal 4s	93⅝	93	93⅜
Lack. Steel 5s	98⅝	97⅝	98⅜
Met. St. Ry. ref. 4s	91	90	91
N. Y. Gas, E. L. H. & P. 5s	109	109	109
Nor. Pacific 3s	104½	103¾	104¾
Union Pacific con. 4s	101⅝	101¼	101½
U. S. Steel S. F. 5s	77⅞	77¾	77⅞
Do reg.	78⅛	78¼	78¼
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COMPLETE RECORD NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings Bank Building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges and Chicago board of trade:

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close. Bid.
35000	A., T. & S. F.	74⅜	75⅜	74⅜	74⅞
1900	Do preferred	94½	94½	94½	94⅝
	Amer. Cotton Oil				29¾
	Do preferred				80
10500	Amer. Sugar Ref.	128¾	128⅝	128¼	128½
	Do preferred				128½
2800	Am. Locomotive	20½	20½	20	20
700	Do preferred	82⅞	82½	....	82½
1700	Amer. Car Foundry	16⅛	16⅜	16⅛	15⅜
	Do preferred				75⅛
	American Ice				20⅜
	Do preferred				80⅜
42800	Amal. Copper	50½	51⅜	50½	51
500	Anaconda Copper	74	74¾	74	75½
7500	Am. Smelting & Ref.	54⅜	54⅝	54⅜	54⅝
1000	Do preferred	97	97⅛	97	98
	American Ice	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜	7⅛
	Do preferred	27	27½	27	27⅞
5500	Batte. & Ohio	81¾	82⅜	81¾	82⅜
	Do preferred				93
58900	Brook. Rap. Tran.	49½	50⅜	49⅜	50⅝
	Canada Southern				49½
700	Chicago G. W.	14¼	14⅜	14¼	14⅜
10300	Chesapeake & Ohio	42½	43⅜	42½	43⅛
100	C., C., C. & St. L.	71⅜	71⅜	71⅜	71⅜
2900	Ches. & Ohio	32	32⅜	32	32⅛
2000	Chicago & Alton	39	39⅜	39	39⅜
100	Do preferred	80½	80½	80½	80½
1100	Chic. & N. W.	170⅝	171⅝	170⅝	171⅛
800	Col. Fuel & Iron	31	31	31	31⅜
100	Corn Products	11	11	11	10⅜
100	Do preferred	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾
2500	C. C. C. & I.	65¾	66⅜	65¾	66⅛
	Do 1st pfd.				48½
	Do 2d pfd.	20⅜	21⅛	20⅜	21¼
	Del., Lack. & W.				276
8400	Den. & Rio G.	18⅝	19⅜	18⅝	18⅝
	Den. & R. G. pfd.				80
1900	Erie	24½	25⅛	24⅜	24⅞
7800	Do 1st pfd.	69½	69⅝	68⅜	69
2000	Do 2d pfd.	50⅜	50⅝	50	50
1700	General Electric	158	158⅝	158	158½
100	Hocking Valley	67	67	67	68
300	Do preferred	81	82⅜	81	82
2900	Illinois Central	133	134	133	134
	Do preferred				134
3200	Internat. Paper	12	12⅜	12	12⅜
100	Do preferred	69⅜	69⅜	69⅜	69⅜
	Lake Erie & W.				25
	Do preferred				70
8700	Long Island	112⅜	112⅝	112	112⅜
2900	Manhattan	150	150⅞	149⅜	149⅞
17100	Missouri Pacific	92	92⅝	91⅝	92¼
1400	M., K. & T. pfd.	37⅜	38	37⅜	38
35700	New York Central	114⅜	117⅛	114⅛	115⅞
9400	Do securities	84⅛	84⅝	84⅛	85⅜
	Mexican Central	8	8⅛	7⅞	8
700	National Lead	29	29¼	29	29¼
900	Do preferred	92	92½	92½	92½
	National Biscuit	45⅜	46⅛	45⅜	46⅞
	Do preferred	107⅜	107⅜	107⅜	106⅜
5406	N. Y. Central	116⅜	117⅛	116⅜	117⅛
2200	N. Y. Central	164	164	164	162
10070	N. Y. Ont. & W.	27⅝	27⅝	27⅜	27⅝
2100	Norfolk & West.	57⅜	58⅛	57½	58⅛
	Do preferred				86
	North Amer. Co.	88	88⅜	87⅞	88
3700	Pacific Mail	39⅞	40⅛	39⅞	39⅞
	Do preferred	87	87	87	87⅛
100	Peoples Gas	98½	99	98	98½
100	Pacific Mail	27	27	27	27⅛
	Pullman				222
2200	Pressed Steel

COKE STRIKE IS ON IN ALABAMA

Pig Iron Consumers Find Other Bidders and a Car Scarcity Confronting Them.

MORE BLAST FURNACES CLOSE

Buyers of pig iron, who have been trying for some time past to give big orders at low prices, but without success, found the furnace operators refusing future orders and shutting down their furnaces, may find the situation radically changed if they delay much longer. As told in this column a week ago, the business sentiment prevailing all over the country is encouraging the pig iron producers to hold out for higher prices, and the news received yesterday from Alabama will only tend to broaden the encouraged feeling. The miners in Alabama struck for higher wages, but the strike will probably last through the current month and August, to judge from the temper displayed by the men and the blast furnace operators. The strike also the mine owners and coke producers.

There was a readjustment of wages last year in Alabama, the miners' wages being regulated on a sliding scale based upon the price of pig iron. This year the miners insisted on last year's scale, but because of the market conditions the furnacemen decided to readjust wages. No agreement having come to naught, and so the strike began on Tuesday.

While it is true that the largest southern furnaces have stocked up, the sentiment is that during a coke strike, and that is what the miners' strike in Alabama is, pig iron stocks rapidly disappear. If the strike continues through two months, as anticipated, the furnaces of southern pig iron production will result. This should have a very appreciable effect upon the price of northern iron during the fall and winter. The buyers, as matters stand now, bring iron "hand to mouth, buying only for immediate use and being met by the stern refusal of the producers to contract for future deliveries at the low prices ruling. Ninety per cent of the furnaces in the Mahoning and Shenango valleys and the Pittsburgh district have shut down, and they cannot be induced to fire up again unless better prices are offered.

Prices Likely to Go Up.

The consumers will soon find the mills which draw their supply from the southern furnaces bidding for northern iron, which will of course increase the prices. Besides, most consumers, witnessing the cutting down of the railroad payrolls, will soon realize that the transportation lines are pursuing their usual policy of reducing expenses in order to make a good financial showing, and that means that freight cars of all kinds are going without repairs and are likely to stabilize the cars which are needed for the lake coal trade and for moving the crops in the west, and that, cars being scarce, there will be inability to move coke and pig iron promptly.

It therefore behooves consumers now buying pig iron supplies only from week to week, to stock up before the bidding by patrons of the southern furnaces begins and before the expected car shortage becomes pronounced, especially when one considers that only 25 per cent of the furnaces are operating and that inducements must be offered before the idle ones will resume.

No important changes in prices are announced, the only alterations being in the discounts on tube and pipe.

Coke is 50 per cent of what coke ovens are operating, the restriction on the furnace blast furnace output resulting in a constantly slackening demand for coke. Prices for the lower grades keep greatly.

Reports of the finishing mills show that about 50 per cent of the local capacity is operating. The tendency is to refuse all business at unremunerative prices.

Iron and Steel Quotations.

Below are given quotations in various lines of iron and steel:

Bessemer pig iron—A ton, $12 75, Pittsburgh.

No. 2 foundry iron—A ton, $12 25, Pittsburgh.

Gray forge—A ton, $12, Pittsburgh.

Billets—Bessemer and open hearth; association prices, $22; small easy at $22 or $21.

Muck bar—A ton, $25, Pittsburgh.

Steel rails, etc.—Standard sections, 50 pounds and over, on base of 1.40c; 45 and over, 828 pounds and less than 500 tons, $30; less than carlots, $33; 16 and 20 pounds, $28@25; 40 pounds, $29@25; hexagon nuts, $2 40@2 40; fish plates, $1 60 on orders accompanying large rail contracts, otherwise $1 80@1 85 is asked.

Structural shapes, angles and channels, 3 to 15 inches, $1 60 the 10 pounds; 18 to 24 inches, $1 70; beams, $1 65; zees, $1 60; angles from 6 to 16 pounds, $1 60; universal plates, $1 60.

Sheet plates—Tank plates, $1 70, Pittsburgh, the 100 pounds; flange and boiler, $1 70; locomotive firebox, $2 10.

Bars—Iron, $1 45, Pittsburgh; Bessemer steel, $1 35, Pittsburgh; open hearth, $1 50.

Wire and wire nails—Carload lots, carried to jobbers 2 cents per keg; carlots to retailers 3 cents; carload lots to retailers are held at 5 cents Pittsburgh in all lines and on less than carload lots a further advance of 10 cents is charged. Steel and iron cut nails, carload lots, $1 75, and less than carload lots, $1 80 f. o. b. Pittsburgh, plus freight to point of destination.

Merchant steel—In carlots, Chicago delivery, spring steel, $1 75; the 100 pounds; smooth finish machinery steel, $2 25 and upwards, according to quality; tire steel, $1 90; ordinary grades of tool steel, 2c per pound; 1,000 pounds and over of shafting in carlots, 62 and in less the carlots, 47 per cent discount from list.

Specifications to rises than 2,000 pounds of 1 size, but not less than 1,000 are subject to an advance of 10 cents per 100 pounds; less than 1,000 pounds to an extra charge of 30 cents a 10 pounds.

Tin plate—100-pound coke plates, 8 45 a box at mineral point Pittsburgh delivery.

Sheets—Black sheets, in 500-pound lots and over, range from $2 75 on No. 30 to $1 75@1 80 on Nos. 1 and 12, galvanized sheets range from $2 40@2 45 on Nos. 16 and 17, to $4 30 on No. 30 nos. No. 28 black sheets are selling at $2 20@2 30.

Merchant pipe—The latest list of discounts to consumers issued by the largest producer covering carload lots, f. o. b. Pittsburgh, follow:

	Steel.	Iron.
	Blk. Galv.	Blk. Galv
½ ¾ and ⅝ inch	70 55	68 53
1 inch	73½ 57½	72 62
⅝ to 3 inch	78½ 63½	77½ 67½
3½ to 6 inch	77 67	78 68
7 to 12 inch	72½ 57	71½ 56

Extra for screwing plain ends—¼ to ⅜ inch, 58; 69 68 58

Ferro-manganese—Domestic ferro, 80 per cent, $42, delivered at buyers' mill in carload lots east of the Mississippi river.

Spiegel—Ferro, 19 per cent, $5 18@5 20 the 100 lbs., Pittsburgh, in carload lots.

Shelp—Grooved iron, $1 55 the 100 pounds, sheahed, $1 60; grooved steel, $1 40@1 45 sheared, $1 45@1 50.

Old material—Heavy melting stock, $14 25 @15 00, gross; low phosphorus stock, $17 50 @17 75, gross.

The Hardware Market.

The hardware business is moving along at the regular summer rate, the trade demanding goods for seasonable use. The Fourth of July demand for metallic ammunition, revolvers and other noise-producers left the stocks of the retailers much depleted, so that a great many renewal orders are coming in now. The bicycle goods has been very good. More people seem to be riding every day and more wheels are in use this year. Considerable interest is being manifested in the bicycle and bicycle riding by former riders and business continues good in Masury paints, colors and varnishes and other goods in the same line, a fair demand existing for window glass. Prices very firm. Manufacturers of glass, manufacturers who have stock on hand declining to sell only at a slight advance. Business in general lines, considering the holiday week, is very good. A good quantity of nails, wire, builders' hardware, house furnishing goods, Albion tools and goods of the kind moving into the hands of the trade. The jobbing trade in hardware evidently looking for a good fall business. Manufacturers report the booking of many orders for fall trade.

The Pittsburgh Hardware Company furnishes the following quots: Columbia pocket knives, discount 35 per cent; Albion hatchets, discount 50 per cent; Bindley canal shovels, $6.50 per dozen; Great Western files, discount 70 and 10 per cent; sheet iron, base $2.85, $2.85 per 100 pounds; galvanized sheet iron, discount 70 and 10 per cent; sash weights, per ton, $24; window glass, L. C. L., 90 and 15 from list October 1, 1903; Albion sewing machines, discount 35 per cent; Gem lawn mowers, discount 40 and 10 per cent; Grand Rapids refrigerators, discount 50 per cent; Gail lawn mowers, discount 40 and 10 per cent; Mohawk lawn mowers, discount 40 and 10 per cent.

HOLIDAYS INTERFERE AND MARKET IS DULL

Mill and Foundry Consumption Light, Owing to Stoppage for Repairs and Alterations.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, July 6.—The iron Age will tomorrow say:

The holidays have interfered with what little business there was going, and the markets generally are dull. The mill and foundry consumption usually falls off considerably during this season of the year, owing to stoppages for repairs and remodeling. At a time like the present, when consumption is generally light, these may more than offset the banking and flowing activity of some channels, so that only by touch the key to the situation is held by the southern producers, who are at odds with the local makers, of whom they demand concessions to be made. The latter are much compelled to it in a determined way, but some of the shipping soldiers not identified with the iron trade are putting backbone into the men by running subject to a final settlement, on the basis of the agreement ultimately reached by the furnace interests.

There has been a little more activity on the part of the smaller outside open hearth establishments. Consuming goods one lot of 10,000 tons of southern basic sold, while in New England a similar quantity was purchased for delivery during July and August.

The billet opening to bring sold today. Until the whole basis of the association and its methods are changed the trade will pay very scant attention to it. While official prices really mean is shown by the fact that a country mill has been adding the scales with their June billets at $19, when the official price is $24.

The plate and structural mills are to hold their meetings to-morrow, at which time the question of prices should take into consideration is whether there is anything serious in the imports of foreign structural material which have taken place, and which compare favorably with the domestic mill prices at home and abroad, for delivery at exposed points like New England, the gulf and the Pacific coast.

The largest contract for structural material recently placed is that for about 10,000 tons for the bridge at Havre de Grace. It has been divided between the large interests.

There is no action in the price of black merchant pipe, in line with last week's reduction in prices of boiler tubes.

On the whole, the consumption of finished iron and steel in many forms appears to continue rather light. It is an interesting question as bearing on the developments of the second half of the year what shrinkage in mill tonnage will show. Practically of fully 5,500,000 tons, the mills have thus far booked 1,000,000 tons, inclusive of orders carried over from last year. A very considerable part of this has been specified, and it is not believed that any very important interests will buy for the second half of the year. That leaves the rail mills in rather a tap. Finishing and trench lacks on coke, ore, pig iron and steel.

The Drygoods Market.

NEW YORK, July 6.—In drygoods buyers show no particular enthusiasm, but here and there agents exhibit more determination to withstand importunities of buyers and are not granting the concessions they would a few weeks ago. Purchases are small, but for immediate requirements, showing a depletion of stocks in certain quarters that is encouraging.

SHIPPERS' ORGANIZATION TO FIGHT NEW UNIFORM BILL OF LADING

At a meeting just closed in Chicago, at which representatives of several shippers' associations, the formation of a national organization to be known as the American Shippers' association was favored. A committee was appointed to canvass the shippers' organizations to ascertain if a permanent body of this kind, whose duty it shall be to promote the interests of shippers before railroads, would be supported. The Chicago meeting was called by the Illinois Manufacturers' association for the purpose of fighting the adoption of the proposed new uniform bill of lading, which it is asserted would mean an advance of 20 per cent in freight rates. The new bill is scheduled for adoption October 1, and will be considered to include all leading railroads. The Chicago meeting appointed a committee to present a protest against its acceptance.

A Much-Needed Patent.

The advance in safety appliances for railway equipment has been rapid during the past 20 years, and the present airbrake systems in use on the railways of the country are sufficient for the purpose they were built—the control of the brake on the train by the engineer, for service application, for regular stops and for emergency cases—but the present system lacks one feature to complete and perfect it, and that is a device that will control the sudden setting of the airbrake whenever the air hose bursts or a train breaks apart, an accident of every day occurrence, especially in heavy freight traffic. F. B. Morrison has invented an air safety valve to which will effectively close the air line in case a hose breaking, and yet by its ingenious arrangement sets the brake in the broken sections, thus preventing collisions.

Gould's Pacific Line Assured.

"George J. Gould's straight railroad line from Salt Lake to the Pacific coast is an assured fact," said an official yesterday to those who returned from a trip to New York where he met a director of the Gould lines. "The trust deeds," he continued, "and mortgages have been filed in New York, Nevada and California, and the right-of-way has practically been secured. Nearly all of the route has been surveyed and laid out. The new road which is to be built by the Western Pacific railway, is designed to give the Wabash the shortest possible route to the Pacific coast. The Missouri Pacific now reaches Salt Lake from Pueblo, via the Denver & Rio Grande. It will be about 500 miles shorter between Salt Lake and San Francisco than any existing route.

J. E. Hannegan Promoted.

J. E. Hannegan, formerly assistant general passenger agent of the Cleveland, Akron & Columbus, at Cleveland, has been appointed joint agent of the Michigan Central and Grosvenor bureau of the Southwestern Passenger association, with headquarters in St. Louis. Mr. Hannegan will practically assume the duties of chairman. He is well known in Pittsburgh.

Pullman Rate Sheets Issued.

The Pullman company has just issued new rate sheet, copies of which have been sent to the railroad officials over whose roads the Pullman cars run. The only important change noted is the order in regard to drawing rooms. The new rate sheet states that single berths in drawing rooms can be sold at regular berth rates when they have not been reserved.

Railroad Notes.

The railway trainmen of the Pennsylvania intend protesting against the old order compelling them to wear vests and keep their coats tightly buttoned.

J. F. Clark has invented a magazine placer, which will place torpedoes while a train is traveling at any speed.

A plan for the licensing of ticket scalpers is under contemplation in New York.

All the local railroads will run special excursions to local picnic resorts today.

The Pennsylvania railroad will run the second of its summer series of Atlantic City excursions today. Four special trains are required this morning and three this evening.

E. W. Mihm has been appointed traveling freight agent for the Cincinnati, New Orleans & Texas Pacific Railway Company, Queen & Crescent route, and the Alabama Great Southern, in the Bessemer building, reporting to C. A. Egly, the road's commercial agent in this city.

BUSINESS WAS QUIET; MORE NEW FRUIT HERE

Coffee Likely to Advance Again. New Salmon Arrives—Oats Are Weak.

Business was rather quiet in produce and groceries yesterday. There was a temporary lull in demand and the tone of the most markets was steady. The potato market continues to tend upward. But 12 cars of potatoes came in and were cleaned up in short order. Canteloupes are in demand, but a part of the stock is green and the selling is none too ample. The watermelon arrivals yesterday were 10 cars. But six cars of peaches came in and the market was about the same as the day before. Tomatoes are steady. The best and waxed beans. Beans and peas are in excellent request. Spanish limes arrived yesterday, 80 did. Virginia huckleberries and California plums.

The continued strong tone there were rumors of further advances yesterday afternoon. Salmon is wanted and will be for several months to come. The new pack is commencing to arrive. New mackerel is going out rapidly. There was no change in the local situation, buying being mostly for immediate wants. Butter, cheese and eggs were steady to firm, with no change in quotations. Poultry has a trifle further advance. Offerings in prime last week stimulated the demand considerably. Bran is further reduced and so are No. 2 white oats. No change was reported in hay and grain. Hay was in good demand in spite of heavy arrivals and because of conditions in the west. Very little hay is selling. No. 1 timothy is offering at $13.50. Corn is offered round in small quantities at 60@61c. Oats remain about the same as now until new crops commence to put in an appearance.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania, 10 cars hay, 2 cars oats, 1 car feed, 1 car corn; 1 car straw; Baltimore & Ohio, 6 cars hay, 1 car straw, 1 car corn; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 2 cars oats.

Dealers charge an advance of 5 cents a bushel and $3 a ton on hay and milfeed from warehouses in less than carload lots.

Hay, No. 1 Timothy ..$13.00@13.50; No. 1 Mixed timothy ..$12.50@13.00; No. 2 mixed timothy ..$12.00@12.50; No. 1 clover ..$11.00@11.50; No. 1 mixed ..$11.00@12.00. Loose from wagon $14.00@18.00.

Straw, car ..$9.00@10.50.

Oats, No. 2 white ..45@45½c; No. 3 white ..44½@45c; No. 4 ..43½@44c.

Corn, No. 2 yellow, shelled ..56@56½c; High mix ..54@54½c; No. 2 mix ..54@55c; No. 3 yellow ..56@57c.

GROCERIES.

Flour.	
Fancy spg. patent quarters, in paper	$3.20@3.50
First clears	$3.80@3.90
Second clears	$3.60@3.70
Winter patent	$3.20@3.25
Straight wht	$3.00@3.25
Rye	$4.30@4.40
Graham	$3.60@3.70
Cornmeal bbls	$3.10@3.20
do 10-lb cotton sks	15½@17c
Rolled oats, bbl	$4.25@4.50
do 90s	$2.85
Roasted Coffee.	
Rio	19@15c
Santos	22@15c
Maracaibo	15½@16c
Peaberry	17½@18c
Golden Rio	14@14½c
Caracas	18@18½c
Standard	15½c
pkgs	$1.05@1.15
High grd	$17 50@19 50
Molasses, fancy new	35@37c
do choice	32@33c
do open ket	28@30c
Syrup.	
Fancy syrup	28@30c
Maple, gal	$1.00
Sug. and cane	24@25c
Prime	24@26c
14-lb cans, doz	$1.10
5-lb cans, doz	$1.10
10-lb cans, doz	$4.40
Mpls. gal	75c@$2 40
Cincinnati, bbl	$5.90
do kegs	$5.40
Sugar, sta, gran	5.00c
do pags	5.00c

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta, pie	$1.10
do pie, gal	$2.50@3.00
do California	$1.50@2.25
Lt. to	$1.65@2.25
do Maryland	$1.45@1.65
do California	$1.70@2.00
Corn, fancy	$1.35@1.75
do std	$1.20@1.30
Cherries, Cal	$2.50@2.75
Lima beans	$1.20@1.45
do soaked	75@80c
String beans, 2-lb	70c
do soaked	90c
Stringless beans	$1.25@1.75
Peas, marrowfat	90@95c
do early June	95c@$1.00
do soaked	55@65c
Apples, N. Y.	$2.15@2.20
Pineapples	$1.20@2.25
Plums, California	$1.55@1.80
Raspberries	85@95c
Gooseberries	85@90c
Tomatoes,	
do standard	$1.15@1.35
do gal	$2.25@2.65
Succotash, 1-lb	$1.25@1.40
Baked beans, cans, tomato sc	75@95c
Salmon, doz	95c@$2.60
do red, 1-lb flats	$1.00@1.20
1-lb flats	$1.65@2.00
do pink, 1-lb flats	$1.55@2.10
Chipped beef	$2.25@2.75
Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans	$2.50@2.35
do 1-lb cans	$2.30@2.35
Mackerel, broiled	$1.90@2.50
Sardines, domestic, ½s	$3.40@3.80
do mustards	$4.25@5
do French	$9.50@18.50

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1	
mess, bbl	$20.00
do half bbl	$11.50
do quar, bbl	$6.00
Mackerel, No. 1	
plain, bbl	$20.00
do half bbls	$10.50
do quar, bbls	$6.00
do 20-lb pails	$2.40
do 10-lb pails	$1.75
Mackerel, No. 2	
large, bbl	$14.00
do half bbls	$7.40
do quar, bbls	$3.85
do 20-lb pails	$1.75
do 10-lb pails	95c
do No. 2 Irish	
60-lb tubs	$5.00
Lake herring, 100 lbs	$3.35
do 50-lb	$1.85
do 20-lb	$1.05
do 10-lb	60c

DRIED FRUITS.

Apricots, evap., bags	10@12c
do 25-lb boxes	10½@12½c
Apples, bulk	6¾@7c
do 1-lb cartons	7½@8c
Peaches	7@10½c
Raisins, seeded, 1-lb pks	7½@7¾c
Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown, 50-lb boxes	1@2½c
do Ondaria	1c
Val.	8@8½c
do Cal. Val	7@7½c
Currants, cleaned, 25 and 50-lb	6½@6¾c
Prunes	2@8c
Figs, Cal.	3@9c
do Turk	12½@14c

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu	$6.75@7.60
do mammoth	$6.85@7.10
do crimson	$4.50@4.75
do white Dutch	$10.25@12.00
Alsike	$7.50@8.00
Alfalfa	$8.50@9.00
Millet, Western	$1.25@1.50
Southern	$1.75@1.80
Grass, Hungarian	1.00
plain	$1.00@1.10
do lawn, lb	16@18c
do blues, 14-lb bu	$1.10@1.80
do bu	$1.65@1.75
do Timothy, 45-lb bu	$1.10@1.80
do Timothy, 14-lb bu	$1.50@1.60

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, do new, bbl	[Peas, Tomatoes, 4-basket carriers $1.00@1.25
store	$2.75@3.00
Onions, Egyptian sacks	$2.75@3.00
do Texas Bermudas	$1.85@2.00
do southern, bbls	$3.75@4.00
do Kentucky, bbl	$3.50@4.00
Green onions	12@15c
Cucumbers, do southern, bu	15@20c
Asparagus, Fancy	11@12½c
Choice	9@8c
Horse radish,	10@11c
Dandelions, per crate	$4.00
Huckleberries, per crate	$1.20@1.50
Blackberries, per crate	$3.25@3.50
Gooseberries, qt	6@8c
Raspberries, Black, qt	8@10c
Red, qt	11@12½c
Red, pts	6@7c
Peppers, bsk	40c
Mushrooms, per lb	35@40c
Green corn, Florida, box	30@40c
Canteloupes, Flat and Ga., per crate, Fancy	$2.50@2.75
Choice	$1.50@2.25
Watermelons, Florida	25@35c
Garlic, lb	8@12c

NUTS.

Filberts	10c
Eng. walnuts	12@15c
S. Jordan almonds	15c
Tarr. almonds	10c
Brazil	8c
Dried Italian chestnuts	7c

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.	
Prints	20½@21c
Ohio creamery	17½@18½c
Fancy dairy	16@17c
Country roll	16@12c
Cheese, N. Y. full cr'm, new	9½@10c
do Ohio flats, new	9½@10c
do Limburger, new	7½@8c

FRUITS.

Lemons, Messina	$3.00@3.50
do Californ'a	$2.50@3.00
Limes, per 100	$1.00
Oranges, California navels	$3.25@3.60
Cocoanuts, bags	$2.75@3.00
Pine, carton	75@$2.00
Bananas	$1.25@1.50
do 2nds	$1.75@2.00
Pineapples, crate	$3.00@3.50
Grapes, Almeria	$3.50@6.00
Grape fruit	$3.00@5.00
Apples, Ark., crate	75c@$1.00

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live hens	12@13c
Dressed hens	10@11c
Live springers	18@20c
Dressed spgrs	20@22c
Frozen broilers	22c
Ducks	18@20c
Turkeys, do fresh dressed	12@13c
Roosters	7@7½c
Geese	8@9c
Ducks	10@20c
Long Island ducklings, lb	25@26c
Capon, lb	23@25c
do Miss. & Lake'rs	$1.00@1.25
Spring	35@40c
Asparagus, home raised	30@35c
Honey, new	13@14c
Nuts, chest	30@35c
Popcorn, lb	4@5c
Egg plant, crates	$2.75@3.00
Artichokes, doz	15c
Strawberries, Fancy	11@12½c
Choice	9@8c
Huckleberries, per crate	$4.00
Blackberries, per crate	$3.25@3.50
Gooseberries, qt	6@8c
Raspberries, Black, qt	8@10c
Red, qt	11@12½c
Red, pts	6@7c
Peppers, bsk	40c
Mushrooms, per lb	35@40c
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PROVISIONS.

Hams	
18 lbs and up	11½c
Over 14 to 18 lbs	11c
Over 10 to 14 lbs	11c
10 lbs and under	11c
Skinned	12½c
Boneless boiled	13c
California	9c
Shoulders, N. Y., cut	8½c
do skinned	9c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs	10½c
10 to 12 lbs	10c
do bnck strips	9½c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs	11c
do 10 to 12 lbs	10½c
Breakfast bacon, back strips	9½c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears	7½c
Sahara, 20 to 25 lbs	8c
do 16 to 20 lbs	8½c
do under 16 lbs	8½c
Dry salt smoked sides, extra short clears	8½c
Bellies, 20 to 25	9c
do 16 to 20 lbs	9½c
do under 16 lbs	9½c
Lard, pure, tierces	7½c

HIDES.

No. 1 green steer, heavy	8c
do light, under 60 lbs and cows, all weights	7c
No. 1 green bulls	6c
Calfskin, No. 1	10c
Green salt or cured, No. 1 steers, over 60 lbs	7c
do No. 2	8c
Cows and light do No. 2	8c

$2.06 to Cumberland, Sunday, July 10th.

Special train leaves Baltimore & Ohio station, Pittsburgh, 7 a. m.

BAD WEATHER REPORTS BOOM WHEAT PRICES

Corn and Oats Also Feel Effects of Conditions in Southwest and Advance.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, July 6.—Weather conditions in the southwest were the dominating influences in the wheat pit today, all other factors being of comparatively minor significance. Reports of heavy rains in Kansas, Missouri and Iowa caused bullish sentiment at the start and initial quotations on September were up 2@3¼c. There was an active demand from all quarters and shorts resulting in an advance of about ¾c during the first hour of trading. The July option also was in good demand, owing to the fact that there were practically no offerings of that delivery. July made a greater advance than the more distant futures. There was liberal liquidation of September going on early in the day, but the market nevertheless continued to gain in strength. Predictions of additional rain in the southwest had much to do with the improved tone. Another factor that contributed to the strength of the situation was the Missouri crop report, which was considered quite bullish. According to official figures the total yield of wheat for that state will be reduced 10 per cent, compared with the previous estimate of 39,500,000 bushels. Damage reports also were received from southern Indiana, where it is claimed the crop is being badly damaged. The Armour-Leiter faction on the Chicago market began to feel the effect of the early liquidation. Trading during the remainder of the day lacked the enthusiasm manifested earlier in the session, and a greater effort was required to start prices upward again. The market closed firm, however. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 27,900 bushels. The Bradstreets world's visible decrease, 3,669,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 302,000 bushels, compared with 350,000 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 180 cars against 208 cars last week and 151 cars a year ago.

Wet weather and strength of wheat were influences that held the corn market firm throughout the entire day. The pit crowd was inclined to the bear side, but the demand from commission houses was of good character. At times it was difficult for sellers to negotiate considerable encouragement to buyers. Local receipts were 278 cars, with 10 of contract grade.

In sympathy with other grains the oats market was firm. The feature of trading was a fair demand for July from shorts. The volume of business was small. Local receipts were 211 cars.

Provisions were weak on a lack of support from packers and on scattered selling by commission houses. At the start prices were fairly steady under the influence of a firm hog market, but reactions occurred on realizing.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 6 cars; corn, 65 cars; oats, 42 cars; hogs, 28,000 head.

The leading futures, reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago board of trade, Farmers Bank building, are as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT					
No. 2					
July, o	83⅞	89⅞	88⅝	89¼	88⅛
July, n	88	89	87⅞	88¾	87⅛
Sept, o	84⅝	85	84⅛	84½	84⅛
Sept, n	83¼	83¼	83	83⅛	82¾
CORN					
No. 2					
July	47⅜	48¼	47⅛	48	47⅛
Sept	42¼	43	42	42⅜	42
Dec	32½	33¼	32¾	32⅝	32⅜
OATS					
July	45¾	48⅝	45¾	48¼	45¾
Sept	29½	30	29	29⅝	29
MESS PORK					
July	12 90	12 90	12 85	12 85	13 07½
Sept	13 25	13 25	12 90	13 00	13 22½
LARD					
July	7 12½	7 12½	7 05	7 05	7 15
Sept	7 30	7 30	7 15	7 20	7 27½
Oct				7 25	7 32½
SHORT RIBS					
July	7 45	7 47½	7 45	7 47½	7 02½
Sept	7 72½	7 75	7 70	7 72½	7 77½
Oct	7 80	7 82½	7 77½	7 77½	7 82½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour firm; No. 2 spring wheat, 84@86c; No. 3, 80@81c; No. 2 red, 88@$1 0; No. 2 corn, 49c; No. 2 yellow, 50½c; No. 2 oats, 39c; No. 3 white, 37½@40½c; No. 2 rye, 65c; good feeding barley, 30@33c; fair to choice malting, 42@55c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 10; No. 1 northwestern, $1 16; prime timothy seed, $2 09@2 90; mess pork per barrel, $12 85@12 90; lard, per 100 pounds, $7 05@7 07½; short rib sides, loose, $7 37½@7 50; short clear sides, boxed, $7 25@7 50; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 26; clover, contract grade, $10 75.

	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	27,900	20,300
Wheat, bushels	10,600	114,000
Corn, bushels	256,500	441,500
Oats, bushels	285,700	147,000
Rye, bushels	7,000	
Barley, bushels	39,500	1,000

NEW YORK, July 6.—Flour, receipts, 33,-875 bbls.; exports, 2,761 bbls. Steady with light business. Rye flour steady. Cornmeal steady. Rye nominal. Barley dull. Wheat, receipts, 59,900 bushels. Spot firm. No. 2 red, export, 90½c; No. 2 hard winter, 90¾@91c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth $1 03½ f. o. b. afloat. No. 1 hard Manitoba, nominal f. o. b. afloat. A continuation of the heavy rains through Kansas and the Ohio valley caused further sharp advances in wheat today, followed by moderate late reactions under profit-taking. The close was firm at ¾@1c net advance, July showing most strength. July, 92¾@93¼c, closed 93c; September, 87⅞@88⅛c, closed 88⅛c; December, 87⅝@87¾c, closed 88¼c. Corn, receipts, 37,600 bushels. Exports, 70,670 bushels. Spot, firm. No. 2, 53¼c; No. 2 white, 54½c. Option market was strong and advanced with wheat, closing ¾c net higher. July closed 54½c; September 54⅛@54⅜c, closed 54½c. Oats receipts 45,300 bushels. Spot, firm. Mixed oats, 26 to 32 pounds, 45@47c; natural white, 30 to 32 pounds, 46@47c; clipped white, 33 to 40 pounds, 45@52c.

TOLEDO, July 6.—Cloverseed: Cash, $5 20 bid; October, $4 90; prime alsike, $6 90 bid; August, $6 80 bid; prime timothy, $1 47½; September, $1 50.

MILWAUKEE, July 6.—Wheat, No. 1 northern, 86½c; No. 2 northern, 84½@85½c; new, September, 84½@85½c; May, Rye, No. 1, 87@88c. Barley No. 2, 62@63c; sample, 52 to 60c. Corn, No. 3, 47½@50c; September, 49¾c bid.

DULUTH, July 6.—Wheat, No. 1 northern, 94¾c; No. 2 northern, 92¾c; July, 84¼c; September, 84c.

ST. LOUIS, July 6.—Wheat, No. 2 red, cash elevator nominally, 84@86c; track, 86@87c; January, 84¼c bid. Rye, No. 2 hard, 69@69½c. Corn, No. 2 cash, 48c; July, 47¾c bid; September, 47½c bid. Oats, No. 2 cash, 44c; July, 37½c; September, 31½c. No. 2 white, 44¾c.

PHILADELPHIA, July 6.—(Special.)—Wheat firm and ½c higher; contract grade July 83½@84c. Corn firm and ½c higher. July, 52¼@53c. Oats quiet but steady. No. 2 white natural, 40½@41c. Receipts—Flour, 1,000 bbls and 2,650,000 pounds in sacks; wheat, none; corn, 52,000 bushels; oats, 83,000 bushels. Shipments—Wheat, none; corn, 11,000 bushels; oats, 92,000 bushels.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 6.—Wheat, July, 85⅝c; September, 85¾c; December, 81⅝@81¾c. On track, No. 1 hard, 97¾c; No. 1 northern, 96¼c; No. 2 northern, 94¼@95¼c. Flour unchanged; first patents, $4 05@4 20; second patents, $4 85@4 95; first clears, $3 45@3 55; second clears, $2 45. Bran in bulk, $14 50; shorts, $15 50.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, July 6.—Butter steady; receipts, 7,981 pkgs; street price, extra creamery, 18¼c; official prices, creamery, common to extra, 15@18c; state dairy, common to extra, 15@17c. Cheese steady; receipts, 14,840 pkgs; state, full cream, small colored, fancy, 9½c; small colored, good, 9@9¼c; do poor, 6½@7c; large colored, fancy, 9¼c; do fair to good, 8¾@9c. Eggs, receipts, 19,275 pkgs; Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white, 20@21c; firsts, 18@18½c; western extra, selected, 18½@19c; average prime, 17½@18c; southern, 15@16c.

PHILADELPHIA, July 6.—Butter steady; fair demand; extra western creamery, 18½c; extra nearby prints, 20c. Eggs firm, good demand. Fresh nearby, 19c, loss off; fresh west, 18c. Cheese steady; fair demand; prices unchanged. Receipts, 1,175 boxes and 1,000 pkgs. Fresh southern, 17c, loss off; fresh southwestern, 15c, loss off; fresh southern, 17c, loss off. Cheese firm; fresh southern, 17c, loss off; fresh southwestern, 15c, loss off; fresh southern, 17c, loss off. Cheese firm; good demand. New York full creams, choice to fancy, 8¾@9c; New York full creams, fair to good, 7¾@8½c.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, July 6.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at a decline of 5 points in response to rather disappointing European cables, which were slightly lower, notwithstanding the good decrease in the world's visible supply figures published late yesterday, but with primary receipts continuing moderate. Developed a firmer tone and somewhat better demand in the afternoon on buying by Wall street and a moderate movement among commission houses. The close was steady at net unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points. August, Sales of 57,500 bags, including September at 6.05@6.10c, October at 6.15c, December at 6.35@6.40c, March at 6.60@6.65c. April at 6.75c and May at 6.80@6.85c. Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice, 7½c; mild steady. Sugar —Raw firm; refined firm.

Turpentine and Rosin.

SAVANNAH, GA., July 6.—Turpentine firm, 52¾c. Rosin firm, A, B, C, $2 60; D, $2 65; E, $2 75; F, $2 75; G, $2 80; H, $3 00; I, $3 40; K, $3 50; M, $3 80; N, $3 95; W. G., $4 40; W. W. $4 75.

CHARLESTON, S. C., July 6.—Turpentine firm, 52@52¼c. Rosin fir

BIRTH OF PARTY COMMEMORATED

Stirring Addresses Are Made by Secretary Hay and Senator Fairbanks.

FREMONT VOTERS PRESENT

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

JACKSON, Mich., July 6.—Five thousand people assembled in Loomis park today to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the birth of the Republican party "under the oaks" in this city, July 6, 1854. It was here on that date that the first state convention acting under the name of "Republican" was held. The state ticket nominated on that day went through a heated campaign to success.

Secretary of State John Hay, who was private secretary to Abraham Lincoln, the first Republican president, was the orator of the day. Other distinguished guests were Speaker Cannon, of the national house of representatives, Senator C. W. Fairbanks of Indiana, Republican candidate for vice president, and United States Senators Alger and Burrows of Michigan.

An interesting feature of the exercises was a body of Fremont voters and men who cast their ballots for the "Pathfinder," for whom 1,000 seats had been reserved. Grand Army uniforms, crutches and silver locks were conspicuous among them and the rapt attention of these "earlier" Republicans was notable. The speeches were mainly historical, but Secretary Hay, in the course of his address, said:

Our platform is before the country. Perhaps it is lacking in novelty. There is certainly nothing sensational about it. It is substantially the platform on which we won two great victories in the name of McKinley, and it is still sound and serviceable. Its principles have been tested by eight years of splendid success and have received the approval of the country. It is in line with all our platforms of the past, except where temporary expedients will have been become history in those days have become history in those days have been adopted by the ancient wise which have proved good.

It would take a wizard to guess what a dozen years hence our adversaries will set before the sovereign people tomorrow. Their state conventions have given them a rich variety to choose from. As to money, they range all the way from Hanna to Belmont; as to tariff, the one thing in Maryland is almost sure. The other wants raging free trade and dynamite for the custom houses. When they discuss our island possessions some want to scuttle away and abandon them out of hand; others agree with that sensible southerner who said: "What's the use talking about expansion? Great Scott! we've done expanded!" One thing is reasonably sure—they will get up a platform as they possibly can and they will by implication approve everything McKinley and Roosevelt have done in the last four years. They will favor sound money and a tariff which will not disturb business, right lawful trusts, and the prompt punishment of the dishonest, the Monroe doctrine and an Isthmian canal. To be logical they ought to go on and nominate Democratic candidates who are pledged to all these laudable policies.

But they will not be logical. They do not care to oppose our policy; they merely deny its sanctity in anything it is. They cannot deny the soundness of our principles; they pretend themselves to hold them. But the function of an opposition is to oppose, and so they are offering the antithesis of all that they seek to make a few by attributing to its principles we have never dreamed of holding and policies which are abhorrent to us. And self-stultifying as this is, of these managers in advance, they announce their plan of campaign to be not pro-anything, but anti-Roosevelt. This is a mere counsel of despair, and the Republicans will gladly accept the issue.

Even on this narrow issue they will dodge most of the details. Ask them, has the present time a good citizen, a good soldier, a good man in all personal relations? Is he a man of intelligence, of education? Does he know this country well? Does he know the world about it? Has he had large history and politics? Has he had great chances to learn, and has he improved them? Is he sound and strong in mind, body and soul? Is he responsible and friendly to all sorts and conditions of men? Has he the courage and the candor and the God-given ability to speak to the people and tell them what he thinks? Will these people trust him? Will they, when what is your objection to him? They will either stand speechless or they will answer with the parrot cry which we have so often heard from Democratic lips:

In a certain sense we shall have to admit this to be true. To every grade of lawbreaker, high or low; to a man who would rob a till or a ballot box; to the wreck on the railroad; to the bucketshop and the humbug, Theodore Roosevelt is more than unsafe; he is positively dangerous.

Senator Fairbanks closed his address as follows:

We stand at the morning of a new century which is to be greater than the past with all of its glorious achievements. It is a century name for the Republican party in the ascendancy, under Republican policies which are suited to the largest national growth.

Should Republicanism forget to give to history many statesmen of great eminence whose names have become a part of the immeasurable glory of the republic, it will enter upon the half century which opens before us with such hopeful promise, under a brave, patriotic, wise American, whose ideals are in harmony with the best traditions of the republic, and whose heart beats in sympathy countrymen and our country in the paths of peace, prosperity and honor—Theodore Roosevelt.

Let us take hence new inspiration from this hallowed spot and prove ourselves worthy of the virtue and courage of our fathers.

MANY WERE REFUSED.

Judges Hand Down Decisions on Applications for Transfer of Liquor Licenses.

The license court yesterday handed down its decisions on applications for transfers. Many were refused. The list of those granted follows:

Elizabeth L. Loert to Andrew Schultz, Madison avenue, Allegheny; John A. Carlson and John Anderson to John A. Carlson, Braddock; John Linn to Philip Linn, Dravosburg; Etta Custer to F. F. McCormick and James Beech, Wilmerding; Philip Glasser to Nicholas Glasser, Braddock; George Blaszkiewitz to Frank Galant, Nos. 1816-18 Penn avenue, Pittsburgh; James McD. Mackey to Harry F. Mackey, Trinity street, Pittsburgh (Hotel Dorset); Gwilym Simpson to Joseph H. Simpson, Nos. 206 to Sixth avenue, Pittsburgh; Michael Mc-Levitt to Thomas J. Conley, Stowe township; Frank Ippis to John F. Ippis, Joseph and Steele Eleventh ward, Allegheny; Bernhard J. Theilheimer and Jake Benedict to Bernard Theilheimer, Third ward, Pittsburgh; Mary M. Wilson to Mrs. P. Sullivan, No. 4419 Liberty avenue; Henry E. E. Brinkman and James L. Reilly to James L. Reilly, No. 3769 Forbes street; James Kelly to Patrick J. Meegan, Fifth street, Pittsburgh; Sarah Young & Graham to Philip Fenseling, No. 1704 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh; Mary A. Brophy to Thomas B. Hays, No. 1403 Penn avenue, Pittsburgh; Andrew Lang and B. M. Stevens to Andrew Lang, No. 4106 Penn avenue, Pittsburgh; Mrs. Alice Thompson to James A. Hood, Sixth avenue, Pittsburgh; Timothy T. Sullivan to John M. Wiesner, Fifth ward, Pittsburgh.

Those refused transfers were Patrick Brenne, 3170 Forbes street, to Charles Nolte, Jr.; Patrick J. Meehan, 3928 Penn avenue, to Patrick Cleary, same address; Peter Kuhn, 2010 Penn, to Jacob M. Klaven, John Thompson, Duquesne borough, to Max Lebovitz; Frank Killian, 570 Homewood avenue, to William H. McEwan; William F. Koegler, 2230 Jane street, to George Koegler; Jordan M. Frittus, Braddock, to George Morrison; William C. Wilbert, 33 Sinloh street, to James Reed; V. J. Brozoski to James Frankovich; William E. Porter, McKees Rocks, to Anton J. Klaven; Casper Schrade, Spring Garden avenue, to Michael Kuhn; Henry Hagemaier, 2824 Penn avenue, to Casimir S. Tarkowski.

WILL SOON BE READY.

Kaufmann's Are Expected Shortly to Announce the Much Talked of Sale of Gusky's Immense Stock.

Inquiries are coming in from all parts of Pittsburgh and the surrounding territory, regarding the time set for the sale of the Gusky stock at Kaufmann's store. The announcement that Kaufmann Bros. had bought the entire stock from the Mercantile Trust Company has evidently been interpreted by the public as the forerunner of an unprecedented bargain sale. And in this the public is correct. Moreover, the bargains that will be offered, it is stated on good authority, will surpass even the most sanguine expectations. Inasmuch as the stock includes everything in men's, women's and children's ready-to-wear clothing, the sale will interest pretty nearly everybody in the community. It is not possible at this time to state definitely on what day the sale will open, but the first news of it will come through Kaufmann's advertisement in the daily papers and the announcement is likely to be made any day now.

PROMOTER PENNINGTON BROUGHT FROM ST. LOUIS

Informs Detectives He Will Pay All the Debts Incurred Here.

Detective Riley yesterday arrived from St. Louis with Edward J. Pennington, Mrs. Mattie Pennington, alias Howard and Catherine Sherman, who were arrested in the Exposition City last week on charges of obtaining money under false pretense and conspiracy to defraud. On their arrival at the Central station Pennington said he was well acquainted with Murry A. Verner, having met him in London several years ago, and that he had no intention of defrauding his creditors in this city.

Pennington said he would pay all debts incurred by him in this city. Superintendent of Detectives McQuaide is of the opinion that Pennington will do as he promises. Pennington told the police officials that once in a few weeks he spent $40,000 in dinners and entertainments in Europe and at one time was worth over $1,000,000. Pennington said it was his lavish manner of living that led to his present troubles.

Attorney H. T. Patterson has been retained by Pennington. The attorney assured Superintendent McQuaide that Pennington had not misrepresented his position while in this city. He said Pennington organized a company in Cleveland, with a capital of $5,000,000, to manufacture automobiles. Pennington's commissions amounted to over $20,000, which he has not received.

The Penningtons gave their residence as Cleveland and Catherine Sherman said she lived in Detroit. They will have a hearing this morning. Hattie A. Geis alleges Pennington sold her some worthless stock for $225 and will appear against him. The Sherman woman is charged with collecting funds for the Passavant hospital without authority.

VAUDEVILLE AT THE PARKS.

Good Attractions Engaged for the Entertainment of the Visitors.

The traction parks will have concert bands and a large number of special features for the entertainment of their patrons next Sunday, and all next week Kennywood and Calhoun will have good attractions. Pennsylvania will have next Sunday afternoon and evening the Ferari Carnival Concert band. Robert C. Lawrence, the coal miner-entertainer; Abbot Davidson, singing comedian, and the Barry and Welford trio of entertainers. The Oakwood concerts will be given by the Regina Ellis band, with Henry Hahn, the baritone, as one of the soloists, and Miss Clarice Templeton, the clever singer, who has made a decided hit in the local parks, as another concert artist. The Fourteenth regiment band will play at Southern park, with the H. J. Lindsay quartet and Horace Mentzer, the entertainer, as extra attractions. Kennywood will have band concerts by the Homestead Library band and a number of first-class extra features.

For the big show throughout the week Southern park will open Monday night with the Crimmins & Gore Company of musical comedy artists in the clever musical comedetta entitled "A Warm Match." These are the people who made famous the burlesque on "What Are the Wild Waves Saying?" The Homestead Library band and other attractions, in addition to the stable amusements, will be at Kennywood all week.

Church Reaffirms Pastoral Call.

The Wilkinsburg First Presbyterian congregation last night reaffirmed its call to the Rev. Dr. John A. Marquis of Redlands, Cal. Dr. Marquis did not declare definitely upon the first call until the congregation had heard him preach, and he delivered a sermon last Sunday. It is rumored that Dr. Marquis is to receive $5,000 from Bellefield Presbyterian church, a committee from that church having also listened to his sermon last Sunday.

Lost Valuables from Her Stocking.

The loss of an $80 diamond pin, a $10 garnet ring and $20 in cash, all of which she claimed to have had in her stocking, was reported last night to the police by Mrs. John Hockman of 5035 South Fayette street. Mrs. Heckman says she lost the money on a street car bound to the city from Wilkinsburg. She said when she alighted from the car at Penn avenue and Shady she went into a nearby store and discovered her loss.

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CADSBY HOUSE—Conn. Ave. & beach. Fine location. Good family house; modern, good cuisine. Rates $8 to $12 weekly.
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THE CASTRO—So. Mt. Vernon Ave., Near the Beach. Excellent table. $8 up weekly.
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OCEAN VIEW HOTEL—So. Georgia Ave., near the Beach. Good table. $8 up weekly. James Plith.

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